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## ALLEGED MURDERER SIGNALS SURRENDER TO AIRPLANE PILOT

Police Sergeant and Native Interpreter Face Blizzard to Make Arrest of Trapper Accused Of Killing Partner and Terrorizing Wife Of Another Trapper in Saskatchewan

EDMONTON, Dec. 2 (P).—The end of a man hunt that promised to be the nearest parallel since 1932 of the famed chase for Albert Johnson, "mad trapper" of Rat River, came today with the surrender of John Harms, sixty-five-year-old Goldfields trapper.

And tonight a Royal Canadian Mounted Police patrol was reported camped on the shores of Lake Athabasca. With them was Harms, a prisoner charged with murder.

Harms is charged with killing his trapping partner, Johnny Anthony, thirty-five. In addition police are probing reports that he terrorized the wife of a nearby trapper after killing Anthony and held her barricaded in her home for four days.

Sergeant F. V. Vernon, Royal Canadian Mounted Police, was accompanied by Pilot Lewis Leigh of Canadian Airways when the arrest was made at Harms' cabin on Singed Dog Island.

**WAVES WHITE FLAG**  
Leigh had picked up Sergeant Vernon and his interpreter, Irwin Villiborough, in his airplane a few miles from Harms' cabin. On Sunday Harms had waved a white flag at Leigh as he flew above the shack.

Landing close to the cabin of the wanted man, Leigh and Vernon, armed with rifles, advanced cautiously, waiting for the aged trapper to carry out his threat that he "would be waiting for them."

The tension was broken as Harms appeared in the doorway, unarmed and in a peaceful mood. Sergeant Vernon stepped up and snapped the handcuffs on his prisoner in a quiet surrender.

The party then made the short flight back to the police camp and Pilot Leigh continued on to Fort Chipewyan.

The police officer, using a dog team, will continue his probe into the death of Anthony before taking Harms to Chipewyan, which is about

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## TENSION EASES IN NORTH CHINA

National Government May Grant Autonomy to Fore-stall Japanese

SHANGHAI, Dec. 3 (P).—Reports reaching here today said Yin Yu Keng, who set up an autonomous state in East Hopeh Province nine days ago, had been forced to flee from his home in disguise when it was surrounded by clamoring citizens, demanding tax relief.

North China tension eased with northern leaders conferring at Paoing to seek a satisfactory formula for political readjustment. An authoritative source said the Central Chinese Government had decided to give North China virtual autonomy to forestall Japanese encroachment.

**AGITATION CONTINUES**  
Autonomy agitation, however, continued in the area. Chinese press reports said Japanese outposts were traveling over the countryside inciting the populace, who hitherto had received them frigidly.

According to reports of the Government proposal, administration of the Northern Provinces will be radically changed. Nanking, it was said, will grant wider governmental powers and sharply curtail the operation of its new monetary measures in the North. Japanese especially had objected to the new financial programme.

The opinion was expressed in official Japanese quarters that the proposals have a good chance to succeed "if the autonomy movement has not gained too much momentum."

## WAS WELL KNOWN AS ARCHAEOLOGIST

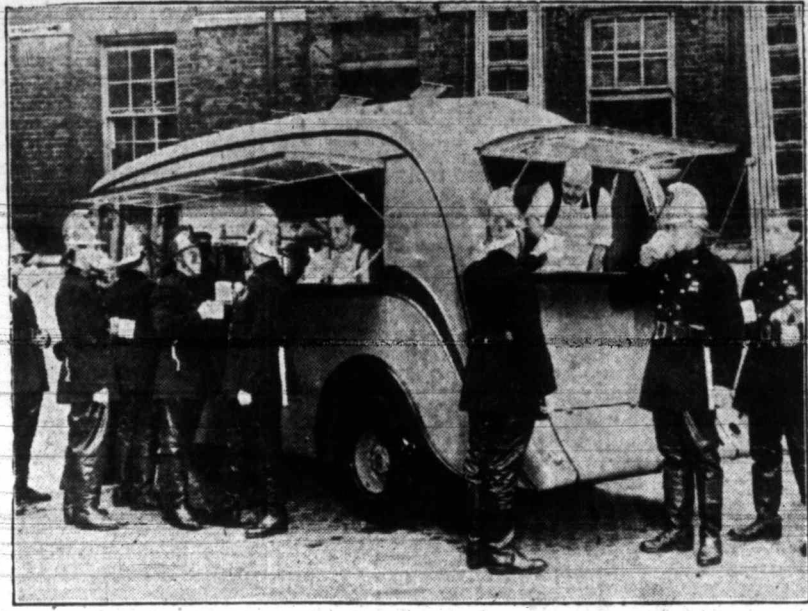
Dr. J. H. Breasted Dies in New York of Blood Infection—Scooped At Tomb's Curse

NEW YORK, Dec. 2 (P).—Dr. James H. Breasted, noted Egyptologist, who exposed himself to the so-called "curse" upon violators of a Pharaoh's tomb, died today of a blood infection.

He was taken off the liner Conte Di Savoia last Thursday and speeded to Presbyterian Hospital, suffering, a ship's doctor said, from a recurring attack of malarial fever.

He had derided several times the force of a curse found by him and twenty-one other scientific diggers in the tomb of King Tutankhamen. Of the twenty-two who first looked on the inscription after the tomb's seal was broken in 1922, seven have died.

## Fire Brigade Has Travelling Canteen



This streamlined motor canteen has just been built to the requirements of the Chief Officer of the London (England) Fire Brigade, and will, when necessary, travel with the engines to fires and supply firemen with refreshment. Our picture shows members of the London Fire Brigade sampling refreshments.

## Government Unwilling to Stand Behind Permanent Canadian Representative

**Hepburn Regaining Health and May Not Retire as Announced**

TORONTO, Dec. 3 (P).—Ontario Government officials today expressed belief Hon. Mitchell F. Hepburn will carry on indefinitely as Ontario Premier and Liberal leader. The Globe says in a news story. The newspaper says the Premier is rapidly regaining his health while on his Southern holiday trip and he is expected home within a few days. His expressed willingness to go immediately on his return to Ottawa to head Ontario's delegation in the Dominion-Provincial conference, coupled with the good health reports, has given his colleagues confidence he will not retire after the forthcoming session of the Legislature, as he previously announced, The Globe says.

## Sister of the King Dies at Residence In Buckinghamshire

Princess Victoria Stricken Three Weeks Ago—Illness Became Critical on Sunday—State Opening of Parliament Canceled

LONDON, Dec. 3 (P).—Princess Victoria, sister of the King, died early today. The Princess, who was sixty-seven years old, never married. She was the favorite grandchild of Queen Victoria, and was known as a favorite sister of King George.

She was the fourth child and second daughter of King Edward VII and Queen Alexandra. She died at her home in Buckinghamshire at 3:35 a.m.

**OFFICIAL BULLETIN**  
The official bulletin said: "Her Royal Highness had a peaceful death."

The Princess' death followed swiftly a critical ailment that developed Sunday night, when she was reported seriously ill from a stomach hemorrhage.

She is survived by one sister, Princess Maud Charlotte Mary Victoria, Queen of Norway. The other sisters were Princess Louise Victoria Alexandra, who married the Duke of Fife.

**ONLY SURVIVING BROTHER**  
King George is the only surviving brother. The Duke of Clarence, who the first child of the union of King Edward and Queen Alexandra, died in 1892 at the age of twenty-eight, and an infant boy, Prince Alexander, born in 1871, lived only a day.

Princess Victoria, whose title was Her Royal Highness Princess Victoria Alexandra Olga Mary, spent most of her life in the company of her mother, who died November 20, 1925.

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## Hopes for Early End to Conflict

LONDON, Dec. 2 (CP-Havas).—King Leopold of the Belgians unofficially was reported to have urged a speedy settlement of the Italo-Ethiopian conflict when he was a luncheon guest of the King and Queen at Buckingham Palace today.

The Belgian ruler was said to have based his plea on the close family ties uniting Belgium and Italy.

Following the luncheon King George made the Belgian King a Knight of the Garter.

## EXPECT OIL EMBARGO WILL BE REALITY WITHOUT DELAY

**Substantial Gain In Building Trade Reported by City**

AN increase of \$180,290 in construction work in Victoria for the eleven months ending November 30 was announced yesterday by the city building inspector. Up to November 30 construction valued at \$424,593 had been undertaken as compared with \$244,303 for the same period last year. During November permits were issued for building work valued at \$25,107, as against \$24,203 for the same month of 1934.

## ALBERTAN IS WHEAT KING

Sidney Man Wins Reserve Championship for Peas at Chicago Show

CHICAGO, Dec. 2 (P).—The mythical crown of the "World Wheat King" sat tonight on the head of W. Frelan Wilford, mixed farmer from the foothills country of Southern Alberta.

Wilford won the prized award today at the seventeenth annual grain and hay show of the International Livestock Exposition here with a sample of Reward wheat from his Stately farm.

In maintaining Canada's record as the lazier of the world wheat kings, Wilford brought to the Dominion its twenty-first crown won at Chicago since 1911. United States growers have taken the award four times.

**WON AT REGINA SHOW**  
It was Wilford who won the grand championship at the Regina World Grain Show in 1933, beating out Herman Trelle, of Wembley, Alta., four times winner of the Chicago title.

Reserve champion of the wheat growers was another Canadian, William Rogers, of Tappen, B.C. He showed Durum of the Mindun type.

James W. Shearer, of Morris, Alta., showed the sample of field peas which won the show's grand prize, and another Canadian, C. W. Stirling, of Sidney, B.C., carried home the reserve grand championship, second honor. Shearer and Stirling showed small yellow and large yellow, respectively.

## TO TAKE HOLIDAY IN SWITZERLAND

Sir Samuel Hoare Will Try for New Shaking Honors While Recuperating

LONDON, Dec. 2 (P).—Sir Samuel Hoare, British Foreign Secretary, will take a month's holiday in Switzerland on the advice of his physicians, it was officially announced today.

Sir Samuel will be seeking fresh laurels on his holiday, but not diplomatic ones. He hopes to do some ice-skating at St. Moritz, well-known Swiss winter sports centre.

He already holds one figure-skating title, and is understood to be planning to try for a new one.

If he succeeds he will be the oldest St. Moritz titleholder. Sir Samuel is fifty-five and one of Britain's best figure-skaters.

## Urges Elimination Of Duplication in Canadian Railways

Sir Charles Gordon Says Systems Should End Ruinous Competition and Adopt Common Policy to Meet Other Forms of Competition

MONTREAL, Dec. 2 (P).—One of Canada's major problems is the railway situation, and to remedy it an end should be made to the "utterly unwarranted" competition and duplication of services to the two main railway systems, Sir Charles Gordon, president of the Bank of Montreal, declared in his address at the annual meeting here today.

Progress in trade recovery had been slow, he said, and in the public office to direct more attention to the development of the mining industry in Canada.

"I repeat," said Sir Charles, "that railways today face extraordinary competition from other means of transportation, and that railways competing against each other in the ruinous way ours do can never succeed."

Sir Charles praised the "apparent disposition" of those in public office to direct more attention to the development of the mining industry in Canada.

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Consideration and Approval in Principle by Sanctions Committee Regarded in London as More Important Than Question of Precise Origin—Peace Developments in Laval's Hands

## Pressure of Sanctions Now Becoming Irsome in Italy

LONDON, Dec. 2 (CP-AP).—Predictions that oil shortly will be added to the list of sanctions against Italy were made freely in authoritative quarters tonight after a three-hour session of the Cabinet.

The ministers considered complicated international issues, including the threatening question of oil, and domestic matters, on the eve of the formal opening of Parliament. They adjourned without announcing their decisions.

The Canadian Press was authoritatively informed that the Government's attitude toward the proposed oil embargo remains unaffected by the statement issued at Ottawa yesterday by Acting Prime Minister Ernest Lapointe.

## Mob Seeks Death for Kidnappers

MARSEILLE, France, Dec. 2 (P).—Thousands marched through the streets tonight screaming "Death to kidnappers," after a child, whom police called France's first kidnap victim, was returned to his parents.

Claude Malmajac, eighteen-month-old son of a physician, kidnapped last Thursday, was found alive today in a suburban cottage.

Mme. Marie Joly Rolland, sixty-seven, and her jobless son, Gilbert Rolland, twenty-four, were arrested at the cottage. They told police they had abducted the child after studying the Lindbergh and other American kidnappings.

## WILL PRODUCE ANOTHER FILM

Kenneth J. Bishop Says Work on Second Picture To Begin Next Week

A second motion picture will be produced here by the Central Films, Limited, for the Columbia Pictures Corporation, Kenneth J. Bishop, producer, announced last night at the Dominion Hotel.

The story, "The Tugboat Princess," was written by Robert Watson, Canadian author, who, for several years, was associated with the Hudson's Bay Company. Mr. Watson and Norman Reilly Raine, author of "Tugboat Annie," worked together on the script.

Work on the new picture, Mr. Bishop said, would probably start a week from next Thursday. The producer declined to say who would take the leading roles, but remarked that the story called for a man older than David Manners, who co-starred with Maxine Doyle in the first production, "Stop, Look and Love."

**CRASH AUTOMOBILE**  
The long-planned automobile crash for "Stop, Look and Love" was successfully completed last night at Ten Mile Point. George Moraes, who drove the car, wore a dark wig and doubled for Miss Doyle. Reginald Brown doubled for Mr. Manners, and James Davis doubled for the actor who plays the part of a drunk in the picture. The three stunt men are Victorians.

Final scenes will be shot Thursday night, Mr. Bishop said. Yesterday, the garden party scenes were filmed in the late W. J. Bowser's gardens, 1001 Terrace Avenue.

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## HUNTER BREAKS NECK IN FALL

Victor Marconi, Saanich, in Hospital Here—Also Has Fractured Skull

In St. Joseph's Hospital here, with a broken neck and a fractured skull, Victor Marconi, twenty-four, was still alive at 1 o'clock this morning, thirty-five hours after he plunged thirty feet from the top of a rocky cliff on Big Beach Mountain while hunting game with companions. "His condition is critical," surgeons said.

Carried more than two miles through brush and swamp land and across a small lake before being placed in an ambulance to be rushed here, the young man's condition was aggravated by the rough passage and, for some time afterwards, it was doubtful if he would survive.

**SLEPT ON MOSS**  
The young man was hunting game with Gawn McCullough and Fred Boulton when he slipped on the moss-covered cliffs and plunged thirty feet down a cliff.

The accident occurred between 1 and 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon about two miles west of Killarney Lake, but owing to the rough country it was some time before medical aid reached the injured man.

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## MINISTER WINS TEST IN REGINA

Hon. W. F. Kerr Returned in Provincial By-Election by Huge Majority

REGINA, Dec. 2 (P).—Saskatchewan's Liberal Government won its third by-election in two weeks today, when Hon. William Franklin Kerr, new Minister of Natural Resources, was returned today by a majority of more than 5,000.

Following his elevation to the Cabinet, Mr. Kerr was opposed in the Regina by-election by Dr. Dennis Sweeney, former alderman running as an Independent.

Complete unofficial returns for the 135 polls gave Kerr 11,762, with 6,149 for Sweeney, representing about 90 per cent of the eligible vote.



# First 1936 Budget Draft Gives Great Task for Council

Figures Disclose 10.25 Mills Have to Be Taken From Present Estimates to Bring Tax Rate Down to Forty-One Mills

THE 1936 City Council will have a great budget battle on its hands. It will have to lop off estimated expenditures to take care of a 10.25 mill increase as at present shown in the first draft of the 1936 budget, which was filed with the City Council last night by D. A. Macdonald, comptroller and treasurer.

Estimated expenditures are placed at \$2,830,837.56 in the first draft of the budget. Against this is an estimated revenue, other than property tax, of \$932,050.23. This leaves a net estimated levy of \$1,898,787.33, as compared with a definite levy of \$1,572,000 this year.

AN ANALYSIS  
This means that the first draft of the 1936 budget shows an increase of \$326,787 over the final budget of net expenditures for 1935. On top of this, however, must be added a possible reduction in revenue of \$91,000, brought about by reductions in taxable assessments for 1936. This net figure is based on a forty-one mill rate.

The increase in the estimated net expenditures represents eight mills based on a mill rate of approximately \$40,000. Added to this is the reduction in revenue due to the decrease in taxable assessment, which is equivalent to approximately 2.25 mills.

This means that the budget must be cut by 10.25 mills in 1936 to bring the tax rate down to forty-one mills, which was the 1935 rate.

Following is a summary of the estimated expenditures for 1936, as contained in the first draft budget:

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	
Debt charges, general	\$ 718,508.96
Extension securities charges	327,111.00
City's share of local improvement charges	123,444.46
Brokerage and exchange	3,500.00
Interest on bank loan and pre-paid taxes	27,100.00
Total	\$1,209,664.42
Police	104,730.00
Total	\$1,314,394.42

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	
Municipal Council	\$ 13,187.80
Legal Department	6,375.40
Comptroller's Office	10,208.92
Assessor-collector	20,044.52
City clerk	4,682.80
Building Inspector	11,185.80
Purchasing agent	2,103.72
Writing Inspector	2,343.00
Land Department	3,024.42
Stores	1,377.88
Cemetery	4,418.80
Public Works	26,887.16
Boulevards	33,379.48
Public Works	1,769.88
Pipe Department	160,500.00
Street Lighting	47,784.64
Library	22,501.16
Market	2,291.58
Home for Aged and Infirmary Men	11,153.80
Charities	44,808.00
Hospitals	190,439.16
Board of Health	16,416.32
City Engineer's Office	20,471.04
Engineering and Surveying	175.00
Streets, bridges and sidewalks	46,642.99
Sanitary works	59,750.00
Sewerage	23,425.00
Plant	2,485.00
Slit Lake Farm and Park	1,522.00
Water Works (Goldie Lake)	42,081.12
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Miscellaneous	209,084.27
Total	1,066,762.16
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The list of works to be done under the \$100,000 programme is as follows:

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Eight-inch storm sewer on Dallas Road, west of Eberts Street, for distance of 300 feet, total cost to be \$654.

Fifteen-inch storm sewer on Richmond Road, from Coronation Avenue to Denman Street, a distance of 250 feet, at a total cost of \$835.

Storm sewer on Denman Street, from Richmond Road westerly for 275 feet, fifteen-inch pipe; 360 feet of ten-inch pipe and 350 feet of eight-inch pipe, at a total cost of \$2,180.

RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS  
The list of works to be done with relief appropriations are as follows:

Eight-inch storm sewer on Shakespeare Street, from Begbie Street to Pembroke Street, at a total cost of \$370.

Extension of eight-inch storm sewer on Bay Street, for a distance of sixty feet, at a total cost of \$30.

Eight-inch storm sewer on Carroll Street, for a distance of 370 feet south of Arbutus Street, at a total cost of \$170.

Eight-inch storm sewer on Collinson Street, between Vancouver and Rupert Streets, at a total cost of \$300.

Grade and construct a macadam road on Begbie Street from Belmont Avenue to Pembroke Street. No cost given.

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Revaluation of Buildings Done At Small Cost  
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The mayor reported that the contractors had revalued 114 groups of buildings and reduced the value by \$340,200. Alderman John Worthington pointed out that the regular charge for such work was 5 per cent of the new valuation, but that the work had been done for the city for one-sixth of 1 per cent, which, he felt, was quite reasonable when one considered all the work involved.

UNDESERVED RELIEF COSTS TWO MONTHS  
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## Three on Trial for Assassination



On October 9, 1934, in Marseille, France, King Alexander of Yugoslavia and Foreign Minister Louis Barthou of France, were fatally shot down by an assassin, who was killed on the spot. A few days ago the trial of three Croats, alleged terrorists charged with complicity in the assassination plot, opened in Aix-en-Provence, France, and this scene shows the prisoners in the dock. Left to right: Zvonimir Pichil, Ivan Raltch and Miro Kralj, with their guards.

## MANY WORKS AUTHORIZED

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Programme at Normal School Well Received  
An enthusiastic audience of students and teachers at the Provincial Normal School recently listened to a programme of Russian music presented by three well-known Victoria artists: Thelma Johns, soprano; Dorothy Gough, pianist, and Mrs. C. C. Warn, accompanist. Mrs. Gough first gave an inspiring talk on the development of Russian music during the past century.

The programme was as follows: Piano, "The Lark," Glinka-Balakirev; song, "The Parrot Song" (from the opera, "Boris Godunov"); Moussorgsky; piano, "The Bumble Bee"; Rimsky Korsakoff-Rachmaninov; songs, "The Nightingale and the Rose," Rimsky Korsakoff; "The Octave," Rimsky Korsakoff; "The Snow Maiden" (from the opera, "Snegorotchka"), Rimsky Korsakoff; piano, "Romance," Rubenstein; "Trepak," Tchaikovsky; songs, "Yearening," Tchaikovsky; "Why?" Tchaikovsky, and piano, "Polichinelle," Rachmaninov.

Before each number Mrs. Gough spoke on the composer and the style of the selection. To show its appreciation for the presentation of such a performance, the school presented bouquets to Mrs. Gough, Mrs. Johns and Mrs. Warn. Tea was served by Mrs. N. Murphy, after the recital, to the guest artists and staff of the Normal School.

Obituary  
WILLIAMSON—Funeral services for David Williamson, who died on November 29, will be conducted today at McCall Bros' Funeral home at 2 p.m. Rev. G. A. Reynolds officiating. Interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

KELLINGTON—Funeral services for Mrs. Margaret Kellington, aged fifty-three years, who passed away Saturday at Royal Jubilee Hospital, were conducted last night, Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson officiating. The hymn sung was "Asleep in Jesus." Pallbearers were G. Gordon, A. Longley, R. Holman, W. W. Taylor. Mrs. Kellington, who was born on Prince Edward Island, had resided here for eight years. She is survived by two sons, Thomas and Alexander, and her mother, Mrs. Annie McLeod, at the family residence, 1118 Yates Street, and a brother, John McLeod, Salmon Arm. The remains were forwarded last night to Salmon Arm, where interment will be made.

LOWNDES—There was a large congregation at the funeral of Miss Lilla Janet Lowndes, held in Holy Trinity Church, Patricia Bay, yesterday, Rev. T. M. Hughes conducting the service. The 23rd Psalm was read and the hymn "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" was sung. Beautiful floral tributes were received. The following were the pallbearers: Lindsey Crease, K.C.; Dr. J. S. Plasket, C. Steadman, Dr. C. A. Watson, W. H. Langley and R. H. Lowndes. The remains were laid at rest in Holy Trinity Churchyard.

WALKER—Rev. Canon Nunn officiated at the last rites over the remains of Mrs. Susan Amanda Walker yesterday in St. Mary's Church.

## COMMISSION CHANGE TO BE DELAYED

Proposal for Altering Police Administration Causes Heated Debate

### CONSIDERATION OF MOTION DEFERRED

Legislation designed to change the present police commission membership, and substitute for it a committee of the City Council was the proposal advanced at last night's meeting of the City Council by Aldermen Walter Luney and T. W. Hawkins.

Action on the matter was deferred for future consideration, but not until after a heated debate had taken place.

Alderman Luney and Alderman Hawkins, in speaking in support of their motion, said they had no quarrel with the present system, but thought that by having a committee of the council to administer police affairs, the citizens would then be given the right to have duly elected representatives on the board. At the same time the police affairs would be brought under direct council control.

Alderman McGavin stated that while a referendum was possible if the proponent of the move was prepared to pay the cost, he did not propose to pay out \$250 for the purpose.

FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS  
"However, I know what the result would be. The people's rights have been taken away from them. The Government had no right, even on the request of the council, to single out Victoria and say it should not have the right to say who was to govern the police force. The right to elect is a fundamental principle of democracy, and that right has been taken away from the people without their sanction," Alderman McGavin asserted.

"But let me tell you. I will make a contest out of this yet. If not this year, then next year, and I'm willing to bet a dollar to a five cent piece it will carry," the alderman continued.

Alderman Luney interjected that he had brought in the motion because the council could hardly ask the Government to rescind something that it had brought into effect. The Government had apparently made the change for a good reason. There was a reason for everything, he said. "Where there is smoke there must be fire. I think the system I propose is an even better one than the present."

"NO SMOKE"  
"There was no smoke, and you know it, Mr. Mayor," Alderman McGavin retorted. "The change was asked for by the council."

"Why was the change made, then?" Alderman Luney asked. "You all know why," Alderman McGavin declared. "The late Alderman Williams tried to run a sweepstake to benefit the Jubilee Hospital. A stop was put to it, and a pack of lies, downright lies, were circulated, from you down," Alderman McGavin declared, indicating the Mayor.

"I'm not making any comment," the Mayor replied. "All this was thrashed out four years ago, and I don't propose to be the one to revive it again," he concluded.

NATIVE OF CITY KILLED ON TRAIN  
Reginald Harris was Descendant of Sir James Douglas, 1st Governor of British Columbia

COCQUILLAM, B.C., Dec. 2 (C.P.).—Reginald W. D. Harris, Canadian Pacific Railway yardman, was instantly killed yesterday when he believed to have fallen between two box cars during shunting operations in a dense fog.

Mr. Harris was on top of a string of box cars being moved into a siding, and when the crew of the yard engine returned to the siding, his body was found on the track.

He is survived by his widow; a brother, Chester, and two sisters, Miss Hilda Harris and Mrs. J. E. W. Oland, in Victoria.

Mr. Harris was a grandson of Sir James Douglas, first Governor of British Columbia. Born in Victoria, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dennis R. Harris. He was educated in Victoria private schools and was in the employ of the Bank of British North America for some time, later joining the C.P.R. service, with which he was associated for many years.

FORMALLY PROCLAIMS TWO TRADE TREATIES  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 2 (C.P.).—President Roosevelt today formally proclaimed the reciprocal trade treaty between the United States and Canada to become effective January 1. The President also proclaimed the treaty between the United States and Brazil.

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When a motor truck is stalled on the California highway, the driver is now required by law to place a sign, "Truck Stalled," with a red reflector in it, or a flare, 200 feet behind the vehicle, to warn approaching motorists. Hortense Blackburn, secretary of the California Truck Owners' Association, is pictured demonstrating the new sign.

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A sensational escape act will be given by William Harkness during each evening of the Tourist Trade Development Association's Winter fair and bazaar at the Armories. The fair will open at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for a four-day run.  
Mr. Harkness will be shackled with chains and padlocks and then placed in a practically air-tight steel tank. A bar will be placed through the lid, padlocked and spot-welded to insure no tampering with the locks.  
The tank, bar, shackles and padlocks will be on exhibition for public inspection at the fair prior to each escape.  
Work is proceeding apace on erection of the forty modernistic booths for the fair. They will be colored in shades of amber, black and silver to carry out the effect of long, sweeping solid lines. Each exhibitor's name will be displayed in a translucent sign stretching the whole length of the booth.  
T. H. Eslick, general secretary of the Tourist Trade Development Association, has moved his office to the Armories, where he is superintending arrangements for the fair.

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and set fire to the Temple farm home at Waskada, Man.  
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## Declares Judges Not Wanting in Sympathy With Working Class

Chief Justice J. T. Brown Defends Fairness of Canadian Courts in Argument With Arthur Evans During Inquiry at Regina

REGINA, Dec. 2 (P).—Discussion of the fairness of courts in dealing with working class political cases at the Regina Dominion Day riot inquiry today brought from Chief Justice J. T. Brown, chairman of the inquiry, assurance that any evidence brought against the on-to-Ottawa trek leaders would not be permitted to prejudice the case of the trekkers.

"I assure you," Chief Justice Brown said to Arthur Evans, trek leader, "the case of the 2,000 young men will not be prejudiced."

The chairman warmly defended the courts of Canada as he argued with Mr. Evans that judges could be and were "sympathetic" to working class defendants.

"You're all astray," said the chairman, "if you say a judge is not sympathetic."

"OUT OF TOUCH" "I would say to you," the witness replied, "you or any judge cannot possibly put yourself in the position of the working class that is fighting for a living. You are out of touch with the situation."

Chief Justice Brown: "You are putting us in touch with the situation, my dear man."

A judge, Mr. Evans contended, did not take into consideration, in judging a man's actions, that his wife might be starving.

If a starving man stole a loaf of bread, said Chief Justice Brown, a judge has to find him guilty; "that's the law"—but that did not mean the judge was not sympathetic. He said every man got the utmost opportunity to defend himself in the courts and, in many

## Is a Connoisseur of Art



Shortly before the Chinese art exhibit was opened at the Royal Academy, London, the Crown Prince of Sweden paid a visit to the Academy to examine the valuable exhibits. Here we see His Royal Highness, left, looking at a marvelous example of early jade, which has been sent by the Chinese Government to appear in the exhibition.

larger attendances of the public, was refused by Chief Justice Brown. He said the commission was not seeking publicity and was not going to be influenced by crowds. "We are here, in this courtroom, to carry on court proceedings. The inquiry will be conducted here."

## HUNTER BREAKS NECK IN FALL

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Immediately after the accident Gawn McCullough walked through the woods and communicated with Chief Allan Rankin of Saanich police. Dr. J. H. Moore was summoned from the city and accompanied police to Mr. Marconi. Constables Elmer Holm and Percy Brown of the Provincial force also joined the party and assisted. After medical treatment had been given, the injured man was carried to the edge of Killarney Lake on an improvised stretcher and taken across the lake by boat and placed in a C. & C. ambulance and brought to St. Joseph's Hospital.

Others who assisted were John Rankin, W. Whitehead, Roy Anderson, R. Reid, George Smith, Edward Whitehead, A. H. Whitehead and Fred Webb.

Victor is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Marconi, and is a partner with his brother, in the Marconi Garage.

## SISTER OF KING TAKEN BY DEATH

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The last illness of the Princess had its beginning about three weeks ago. She did not attend the marriage of the Duke of Gloucester to Lady Alice Montagu-Douglas-Scott at Buckingham Palace, nor the christening of Prince Edward of Kent, November 20.

The King and Queen paid a special visit to her home at Iwer, in Buckinghamshire, November 24, but it was not until Sunday night that the public was informed that her illness was critical.

The Princess, who was affectionately known to the Royal Family as "Toria," underwent a blood transfusion on Sunday night, which was reported then to have given "temporary benefit."

It was announced at that time the scheduled state opening of Parliament would be cancelled.

Their Majesties also announced Sunday night they were cancelling an intended visit to Sandringham Lodge.

## FRANK OLIVER IS FREED OF CHARGE

In city police court, yesterday, the charge against Frank Oliver, Blue Line Taxi Company, of failing to comply with taxi fare regulations governed by civic by-law, was dismissed, as Ernest Franklin and Timothy Kerswell, who appeared as informants, could not identify the accused as the driver of the car in which they had ridden and paid less than the minimum fare.

Gilbert Ingram pleaded guilty to a charge of retaining a stolen overcoat in his possession, and was remanded until this morning. The coat, owned by B. Webb, was taken from a city dance hall.

## FIVE MEETINGS ARE ARRANGED

Ministerial Body to Hold "Services of Witness" Early in January

The ministers of the city will hold five "evening services of witness" between January 6 and 11, during the week of prayer, at which various speakers will give testimony of the Christian faith in relation to present-day issues.

This was the decision of the largely-attended monthly meeting of the Victoria Ministerial Association held at the Y.W.C.A. yesterday morning. It was stated that afternoon prayer meetings had been planned by a group of businessmen. To take advantage of the visit to the city of Miss Mary Dingman, of Geneva, the social, economic and industrial secretary of the World Y.W.C.A. at the international headquarters of this organization, the city ministers will hold a special session next Monday at 10:30 a.m. in order to hear an address by this well-known representative of world womanhood.

## INSPIRING TALK

Rev. E. D. Braden, of Ryerson United Church, Vancouver, who was in Victoria over the week-end in connection with special services at Metropolitan Church, gave an entertaining and inspiring speech in the place of an announced address by Rev. E. F. Church.

A proposal by the executive of a social, economic and religious survey of Greater Victoria, after some discussion as to the needs of the city, was held over to a later meeting.

Rev. Edwin Bracher, the new pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, was introduced and received as a member of the association, as also was Rev. J. Mackie Niven, a retired Presbyterian minister from Manitoba, who has been for twenty years agent for the British and Foreign Bible Society in that province. Rev. Dr. T. J. McCrossan, of Seattle, and Rev. N. A. Harkness, of Vancouver, were also introduced.

## COMMITTEE NAMED

An historical committee was appointed to complete the quota of minute books of the association, the first of which dates back to 1896. Rev. C. G. MacKenzie, president of the association, was in the chair, with Rev. A. M. Acheson-Lyle as secretary. Arrangements were made for a resumption of the monthly meetings of the Ministerial Fellowship on Monday, December 16, at 10 a.m., in Memorial Hall.

## WANTS BRITISH NAVY SUPREME IN WORLD

LONDON, Dec. 2 (P).—Admiral Sir Roger Keyes, member of Parliament and naval hero of the Great War, demanded tonight that the British Navy be made supreme in the world.

In address, Sir Roger said: "Unless our navy is supreme—and if it is materially equal it will be supreme—we shall, I believe, lose this great Empire of ours."

## DEPARTURES CONTINUING

Government Preparations for Third Session of Legislature Proceed

Staying at his desk, where he handles the Department of Mines, the Department of Labor and the Commissioner of Fisheries, to the last available minute, Hon. G. S. Pearson will leave Victoria on Wednesday for Nanaimo, from where he will set out next day for Ottawa.

Hon. F. M. MacPherson and Mr. Pearson represented the entire personnel of the Government left in Victoria yesterday. Mr. MacPherson announced decision of the Province to proceed with renewal of minor bridges in the flood-swept Skeena district at a total cost of \$4,700. Estimates and plans for the work are going forward now.

Hon. A. W. Gray, acting premier, was away from the city, completing a week's tour of interior municipalities. Hon. K. C. MacDonald was in the Okanagan, where he had gone on marketing affairs. Both ministers are expected back in the city today.

OFFICIALS LEAVE Of the four departmental officials taking part in the Ottawa delegation, J. V. Fisher, of the Treasury branch, and Alan Maclean, departmental solicitor, left for the East last evening from Vancouver, while Dr. W. A. Carrothers, head of the economic research branch, and E. W. Griffith, relief administrator, will leave here Wednesday to en-train at Vancouver on the day following.

During the absence of five of the eight ministers of the Cabinet, Messrs. Gray, MacPherson and MacDonald will carry on as a minimum quorum of the Provincial executive, with Mr. Gray in charge.

Meanwhile, preparation of departmental estimates in eleven branches, pre-session arrangements for new legislation and undetermined plans for the holding of two Provincial by-elections, Omnica and Burrard, will keep Provincial staffs busy against the day when the third session of the Eighteenth Legislature convenes, possibly late in February.

## EXPECT OIL EMBARGO SOON TO BE REALITY

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FEELING THE PRESSURE ROME, Dec. 2 (P).—Italy has begun to feel the pressure of League of Nations' economic sanctions, business leaders said tonight, and is faced with solving unemployment and credit problems.

If Italy's imports and exports—which normally are about 1,000,000,000 lire (about \$20,000,000) monthly—were cut in two, these sources said, the reduction would be equivalent to the wages of nearly 1,000,000 men.

Part of this slack in employment, it was stated, will be taken up by an extension of the thirty-hour week, and part by producing war supplies.

Small firms which manufacture for export or are dependent on foreign material may face a crisis soon unless they can turn to other work, said business experts.

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## OBSERVERS' ESTIMATE

GENEVA, Dec. 2.—League of Nations economic observers expressed the belief tonight that Italy would be able to carry on her campaign in Ethiopia even if the projected oil embargo was imposed upon her. They estimated that Italy would still be able to obtain 62.5 per cent of her present oil consumption.

Economic authorities at Rome claim they can get 20 per cent of Italy's oil requirements from countries refusing to join wholly in the sanctions. From 20 to 25 per cent more can be obtained from Albania, they say; and reserves could be created, it is asserted, by mixture with alcohol or transformation of petroleum into benzol.

(Italians also claim there is enough oil stored in Eritrea already to enable it to keep its legs to push war operations at full speed for another six months at least.)

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## ITALY'S FOOD SUPPLY

ROME, Dec. 2.—Italy will have enough food from its own sources to feed its people indefinitely in the struggle against sanctions, the special food commission headed by Achille Starace, secretary of the Fascist party, announced today.

The committee includes scientists, deputies and medical authorities. It will publish booklets containing practical advice relative to buying of food, and planning of economical meals.

Return to the soil for many former farmers who have gone to the cities for factory work, was urged

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Occasional Chairs	\$8.00 to \$15.00
English Wool Blankets	\$8.50 to \$13.00
Walnut Cedar Chests	\$11.00 to \$15.00
Spring-Filled Mattresses	\$16.00 to \$42.00
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executive of the League of Nations Society in Canada follows:

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The message was signed by the officers of the Toronto branch, of which Professor Norman MacKenzie is president.

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M., Dec. 2 (P).—Theft of three rabbits, inoculated with typhoid germs, from the University of New Mexico biology department, was reported today by Dr. Fred W. Allan. Dr. Allan said unless the rabbits were very well

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## ADVERSE TRADE BALANCE

There is not a shadow of possibility that the reciprocity pact negotiated between Canada and the United States will right the adverse balance of trade under which this country labors. The likelihood is, because the greater concessions in the pact have been given to the United States, that the adverse balance will be increased. That would not improve the outlook in the financial relationship between the two countries, especially since Canada is the debtor and has to find interest and principal payments on obligations contracted in the United States.

In 1911 Canada bought from the United States goods to the value of \$275,824,265 and exported to the United States goods valued at \$104,115,823, or 37.7 per cent of her purchases. In 1921 imports to this country from the United States were valued at \$856,000,000 and exports to the United States at \$42,000,000, the latter being 63.3 per cent of the former. In 1936 the imports were \$608,000,000 and the exports \$475,000,000. In 1929 imports were \$668,000,000 and exports \$499,000,000. In 1930 the ratio was 60.7 per cent; in 1931, 59.8 per cent; in 1932, 61.6 per cent; in 1933, 61.6 per cent, and in 1934, 74 per cent. For the fiscal year ending March, 1935, the imports from the United States were valued at \$303,639,000 and exports at \$224,697,000. The latter figures indicate that the Bennett tariff policy was a factor in bringing about a reduction in the imports from the United States, and therefore creating a better equilibrium of trade between the two countries.

Under the new reciprocity pact it is certain that the United States will increase her sales in Canada to a greater extent than Canada will increase hers to the United States. That will mean a growing unfavorable trade balance. If the present Government at Ottawa has set as its goal something really worth while in the interests of this country it must expect that the adverse balance of trade between the Dominion and the United States will, to some extent, be adjusted. It cannot be by the terms of the reciprocity pact.

## WOMEN IN INDUSTRY

Late in the day of the intensification of the unemployment problem people are making the discovery that one of the main causes of why men suffer in this respect is because women have entered so largely into the labor market. That is a condition that only time can remedy. It is one of the aspects of woman's emancipation that she may become the competitor of man in any role of employment, and she has been quick to seize upon the opportunity. On a greater scale than ever before, and on a growing scale, women are now engaged in productive enterprise, and they are as keen, if not keener, on holding their jobs than are men. The conception now is, among a great majority of mankind, that every able-bodied member of a family should be a breadwinner, or at least an earner.

The result of a five-year survey of American employment agencies shows that women greatly excel men in the task of looking for jobs. Moreover, they are three times as successful as men in finding employment. Mayor Houde of Montreal has recently absorbed the opinion that the chief cause of modern unemployment is the presence of women in factories and shops. He claims that if all men were employed they would have sufficient earnings to provide the women with homes; there would be more marriages, more family life and a better conception of the respective duties of the sexes in the state.

There is no doubt whatever that a main cause of unemployment is the influx of women to industry and the consequent displacement of men. Nothing in a permanent way, and very little at all, can be done to remove this cause. Women have the right to work, and their emancipation means that they can make their own lives what they think they should be, as long as they do not violate the legal conventions of society. They have the privilege of being bread-winners for themselves alone, whereas in so many cases the man must continue to be the bread-winner for himself and his family. This aspect of the problem has added to and intensified that of unemployment as a whole. It appears to be without a remedy, or if there is a remedy no one has suggested what it might be.

## CRAZE FOR PUBLIC SPEAKING

Just why there should be a craze for public speaking is not understandable when about 90 per cent of it is full of bathos and just a series of banalities. It is true that there is hardly an individual who does not think that he or she has something to say that would add to the sum of human knowledge. There is, too, the realization that it is impossible to say it well without practice or some kind of training. There is every sympathy for the individual who wants to improve the power of expression; there is little for the man or woman who seeks every opportunity of being in the rostrum on public, or semi-public, occasions in order to voice what is on the mind.

It is a moot point if speech-making ought to be encouraged. Ordered eloquence may be full of flowing periods, it may have studied reserve, it may have well-designed sequential utterance, and yet what is said may be sound alone signifying nothing. The craze for public speaking may well develop into nothing more or less than a long-suffering public being bedeviled with words. What is gained by the tympanum being assailed by that from which the understanding gains nothing? It is simply another intensification of noise that goes with the advance of civilization and yet something that anti-noise societies have neglected. It is a question, too, if Nature is not being defied by cultivation of the art of speech-making. Was a portion of mankind made inarticulate for no reason whatever? Will the power of preferring action to words be suspended when it is possible to utter words more fluently?

After all there is some source of strength in a nation which has an impenetrable reserve and would rather do than say. The craze for public speaking has meant the multiplication of bad speakers. It is not necessary to go far afield to discover this. It is still; as it always was, that whoever has learned to do a thing well ceases to speak about it.

## INVENTIONS

The mechanics of games as well as so many things is proceeding apace. There is now a device attached to a golf club which demonstrates the head movement during a swing. There is another device that provides the equivalent of a full round of golf with varied strokes and holes within a space only twenty to fifty feet across, to say nothing of a device which arranges for perfect timing. There is a new type of automatic card-dealer to be used by those who do not trust their opponents at bridge. There is a new line in hydraulic lifting tackle to a knife which will cut two slices of cake at once.

One of the most desirable inventions in these latter days is that whereby no broadcasting programme may be missed. In the home where there is a radio it is possible, where the family is out for the evening, to leave instructions for a button adjoining their radio receiver to be pressed at a certain hour and for another button to be pressed at a certain time thereafter, and the intervening programme will be automatically recorded. There is an additional refinement to this invention so that by arranging a time switch the operation can be carried out automatically in a completely empty house. There is another invention to record long-distance telephone calls in the absence of the party wanted. Envelope-addressing machines were invented long ago; now there is a cheque-signing machine which will sign cheques at the rate of 3,000 an hour. For wives, the most interesting of all inventions is that of the latchkey which, by means of a special identification mark, records the exact time at which its owner uses it. This is a new terror in life for the clubman or the otherwise malingering male.

## HOMO SAPIENS

Dr. Inge on one occasion said that man "essentially the savage, fancies himself civilized." This somewhat gloomy view is challenged by Rev. C. E. Douglas, who says that in taking this stand Dr. Inge "defies the graves not only of his own ancestors but those of all who have dared and died for what they believed to be the mission of the human race." After all, as Mr. Douglas says, civilization is a fight against the Wild. "The housewife," he says, "battles daily against dirt; the gardener against weeds; the builder against decay; the doctor against disease; the parson against sin." This struggle illustrates how Dr. Inge does his fellow-men disservice in confusing their failures with the high endeavor which is their common heritage. Civilization is largely survival in the struggle for existence through willing sacrifice of self in the common cause. Even the dictates of fashion are obeyed and men wear unshapely and unhygienic clothes not to be out of line with their fellows. The wisdom of civilization's advances is sometimes folly, but then man is only the Homo Sapiens, not the Homo Sapientissimus.

## JAMAICA, B.W.I.

Across the evening sky the parrots stream,  
 A green procession like blown moss on high;  
 Their raucous voices cut the sunset dream  
 That quilts in gold the hills, the sea, the sky.

High on a coral beach rich bounty lies  
 Strewn by the pirate waves in sudden flight;  
 And here is seaweed rose-flushed as the skies  
 And fragile shells transparent as the light.

Music through palms, mid-dusk and Indian moon  
 And on the harbor swell our boat at rest;  
 Till every fire-lit wave is but a rum  
 That stirs Caribbean's softly-breathing breast.

Parrots and shells and music blown to sea—  
 These are the things time may not steal from me.  
 —Clara Maude Garrett, in The Montreal Star.

The direct foe of courage is the fear itself, not the object of it; and the man who can overcome his own terror is a hero, and more.—George MacDonald.

Strength is natural, but grace is the growth of habit. This charming quality requires practice if it is to become lasting.—Joubert.

They whose guilt within their bosoms lie imagine every eye beholds their blame.—Shakespeare.

## The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., December 2, 1935.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS  
 With the exception of rain on the Northern Coast, fair, mild weather is general in this Province. Milder weather is spreading into the Prairie Provinces.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES  
 (Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Snow	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	—	—	40	43
Nanaimo	—	—	39	44
Vancouver	—	—	38	42
Kamloops	—	—	34	38
Prince George	—	—	20	32
Stevan Point	—	—	38	48
Prince Rupert	—	—	46	36
Atlin	—	—	30	36
Dawson	3.40	—	10b	18b
Seattle	—	—	38	44
Portland	—	—	48	56
San Francisco	—	—	48	56
Spokane	—	—	26	30
Los Angeles	—	—	56	74
Penticton	—	—	32	—
Vernon	—	—	33	—
Grand Forks	—	—	28	30
Welson	—	—	30	37
Kaslo	—	—	29	42
Calgary	—	—	20	42
Edmonton	—	—	12	24
Swift Current	—	—	12	36
Prince Albert	—	—	6	14
Saskatoon	—	—	4b	16
Qu'Appelle	—	—	12	28
Winnipeg	—	—	20	10
Moos Jaw	—	—	10	22
Sunday	—	—	10	24
Toronto	—	—	18	26
Ottawa	—	—	14	20
Montreal	—	—	16	22
Saint John	—	—	22	40
Halifax	—	—	34	38

## MONDAY

Minimum ..... 40  
 Maximum ..... 43  
 Average ..... 41  
 Minimum on grass ..... 34

Weather, clear; sunshine, 3 hours.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS  
 Victoria—Barometer, 30.09; wind, N. 12 miles; clear.  
 Vancouver—Barometer, 30.12; wind, NW, 4 miles; cloudy.  
 Kamloops—Barometer, 30.30; wind, E, 4 miles; cloudy.  
 Prince George—Barometer, 30.10; calm; clear.  
 Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.94; wind, S, 8 miles; raining.  
 Steveston Point—Barometer, 30.10; calm; cloudy.  
 Tatooch—Barometer, 30.08; wind, E, 20 miles; clear.  
 Portland—Barometer, 30.08; wind, E, 6 miles; fair.  
 Seattle—Barometer, 30.08; wind, N, 4 miles; cloudy.  
 San Francisco—Barometer, 29.92; wind, NE, 4 miles; cloudy.

## Note and Comment

By R. R. D.

Come forth into the light of things.  
 Let Nature be your teacher.  
 —Wordsworth.

A day or so ago a botanical observer of current events directed attention to an interesting natural phenomenon. He pointed a finger at a thicket of natural growth within the environment of the city, singled out certain bushes which were in full bud all ready to burst out in leaves. "Don't," said he, "tell me that there is not something in common between vegetable nature and human nature." A few weeks ago there was a slight frost and the sap in those shrubs retreated to the roots, secure against anticipated winter weather. A few days later the temperature rose. The plants reasoned that the winter was over, Spring was knocking at the door, and set about attending to the season's business. First the bud, then the leaf, and then the full flower.

Vegetable life is like human life in one respect. It makes no allowances for certain vagaries. The vegetable kingdom makes no allowances for the vagaries of the weather. The animal kingdom makes no allowances for the vagaries of its own kind. A bitter frost may yet come and wither the premature buds on the trees. The progress of human events may nip in the bud many schemes upon which many fond hopes are based for improvement of business and additions to the wealth of the nations.

The New Deal in the United States has been under probation for three years. Some say it has succeeded, others that it has failed. All we know about it is that Mr. Roosevelt has announced he is going to try something else. The period of lavish government expenditures is over, and the time for retrenchment has come. The President, in making this announcement, said he had accomplished what he set out to do: save the nation from a business panic. Business says the nation would have saved itself from disaster if it had been permitted to achieve its own salvation. Another year must pass before the nation shall have an opportunity of pronouncing judgment upon the positions of the advocates and the opponents of the New Deal.

In Canada we are to have a new deal, which will become effective with the beginning of the new year. Our attitude to that deal should be like the attitude of little children at this season to Santa Claus. We should await the glad event with faith and hope. The jolly Saint has never yet failed. The events of the future may fully justify the anticipations of trade reciprocity. The advocates of the agreement point with pride to the fact that the deal has justified its existence already, although it is still in the bud and will not burst into full bloom for another month. They say business is reviving, but business was reviving before there was a change of government and the pact was not even in the bud. In the kingdom of nature Spring may actually have arrived in this part of the continent; but even on Vancouver Island we occasionally have chilling frosts in the month of January, and on other parts of the continent Winter may reign supreme for from three to four months.

In the more or less happy days of childhood and school there was a game which used to be played. You will remember it if you were a normal child. The game was "open your mouth and shut your eyes and see what the gods will send you." The gifts of the gods were more often bitter fruit than sweet meats. In the matter of this new deal Canadians will simply have to open their mouths and shut their eyes and see what the political and economic gods will send them. The game is not new. It has been played by the politicians and the economists before. In the only case in which the game was played until the politicians ended it the fruits were agreeable to the taste and fattening to both the person and the pocket. But when the chilling frost came and killed all the fruit upon the tree, there was chaos and confusion for many years. We were just recovering from the resulting dislocation when the modern politician and economist go together, and again we are asked to open our mouths and shut our eyes and prepare to taste and swallow fruits which may prove to be either sweet or bitter.

But we are reminded that official Ottawa this time has not put all its

economic eggs in one basket. There is a larger view of the question than future trade relations between Canada and the United States. There is the issue of future trade relations between Canada and all the other nations of the world. The nations, in the false pride of nationalism, have been worshipping the false god of high protection. Canada is going to pull that god from its perch by setting an example to the nations of what can be accomplished by levelling tariff walls and encouraging international free trade with possibly some restrictions. Freer Imperial trade implies pride of race and kin, and therefore is dangerous. If all the nations be joined together in close commercial and business intercourse, the folly of wars will be obvious. That is a grandiose idea, and it would be a calamity if the fruit thereof should be chilled by an international frost.

## The Observation Car

BY THE EDITORIAL STAFF

### Be Thankful

Hank the Philosopher says: "After listenin' to some of these American radio programmes on Thanksgiving Day, it seems to me that if anything they got to be thankful for is some place to put roast turkey." —W.F.

### "My First Dollar"

"The first money I earned was as an office boy in the city of Glasgow about 1880," the dean of Victoria transportation men told me recently. "I remember we worked from nine until five at filling letters; folding them over a piece of zinc, marking them, and sorting into pigeon holes; or copying them by the wet blanket method in a letter press. There were ten of us in the family, several younger than myself. My mother was sitting out on the porch when I took home my first week's money, and I laid it in her lap. It seemed a fortune to me—three shillings," he added.—S.G.

### It's More Fun, Anyway

The education of a politician is never ended. We saw Alan Chambers braving the rigors of a Scotch eightsome, a quadrille, and several other complicated but strenuous dances at a reception the other evening. But he seemed to be enjoying it mightily. Perhaps this is the lighter side of politics, but watching from the sidelines we felt that it must be the more strenuous phase, for we were convinced that it must be infinitely less toilsome to make a speech than to dance an eightsome. We felt utterly exhausted merely watching the dizzy pace of the dancers, particularly Alan, as he nimbly conducted old and young through the various phases of the reels.—P.C.R.

### Lifting the Eyebrow

What's the matter with the so-called stronger sex, are they slipping? According to a short news article appearing in an Eastern paper just recently, the males are doing everything but shave on the main thoroughfares. It won't be long now before they are following the fairer sex, if this item is any criterion. On Pitt Street in Windsor, Ontario, a large crowd gathered to gaze at a portly citizen stand before his reflection in a plate glass window and smooth his eyebrows with a tooth brush. He paid little attention to the on-lookers, continuing his dainty work with painstaking and methodical efforts.—J.D.

### 'Round and About

Sign on a Port Street office, illustrating the personal touch: "If you want anything, come over to the new building across the road. I am working there." . . . Watching a friendly-looking dog munching a bone on the corner of Yates and Broad Streets, we fell to pondering at the large number of canines without licenses. In some cases we know their owners can't afford a tag, but many others do not purchase one through sheer neglect. . . . Peggy says that taking a long breath before a kiss develops a girl's lungs. . . . There is a tobacconist's shop here where the proprietor knocks off daily at 4 o'clock to wrestle with a dish of tea. . . . Tip for some scientist—why not develop stingless bees and wasps for picnics?—G.B.

## FINDING BUSINESS

### BETTER IN CANADA

Since the Spring, business conditions in Canada have shown a marked improvement. George A. Davidson, Montreal, representative of the Howard Smith Paper Mills, Limited, stated at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. Davidson maintained the paper industry was a good barometer of business conditions, as paper played an important role in business. He explained prospects for business in his line were exceedingly bright.

## FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of December 3, 1885)

Defences of British Columbia—An Ottawa dispatch says: "The British Columbia Government some time ago made representations respecting that portion of the Dominion. The Imperial authorities have communicated their view on the subject to the Dominion Government, and correspondence is now going on in relation to the matter."

Mayor James H. Watson, who has just completed for the Government a report of vast importance and value to the authorities of that thriving settlement of the structure, which was built under the supervision of William Clarke of this city, in 285 feet long with a T.V. 40 by 20 feet. The settlers are highly pleased with this acquisition and have invited Hon. Mr. Smith to be present and formally open the wharf on Saturday next.

The Fire Department—Very little interest was manifested yesterday in the voting on the by-law to take over the fire department. Only 154 votes were cast out of a possible 1,000. The numbers voted: For 146, against 8. The city clerk, who has acquired the fire apparatus and all the property, and the firemen will henceforth be paid. W. K. Bull, the veteran returning officer, conducted matters with the usual smoothness.

## COMMISSION WILL CONVE

Halibut Group to Meet at Prince Rupert in Discussion of 1936 Prospects

The results of the 1935 halibut will be discussed at an open meeting of halibut fishermen with members of the International Fisheries Commission at Prince Rupert this week.

John P. Babcock, chairman, and Frank T. Bell and Edward Allan, United States members of the commission, are now on their way North for the meeting.

They will be joined at Prince Rupert by Dr. W. A. Pound, Federal Deputy Minister of Fisheries, who is said to be on his way to the Coast on an annual tour of inspection.

CONTROL FISHERIES  
 For some years past, the international body has had control of halibut landings, fixing catch limits by areas for the season in a general policy of conservation, under which the fishing season has been gradually lengthened and fishing spread out.

Halibut ships are touched on in the new International Reciprocity Treaty agreement to go into effect on B.C. operations.

Reduction by one cent in United States duty on halibut may react beneficially for B.C. boats, which land approximately one-quarter of the season's catch, while it is possible that removal of some of the differential between Canadian and United States boats may encourage greater landings at Prince Rupert.

## Letters to Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except on the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

### A CHRISTMAS DINNER

Sir,—In answer to the many inquiries regarding the headquarters of our committee we ask that they call at 1327 Government Street, where their kind services could be used, for we are sure they are our well-wishers. They may also get in touch with us at 711 Bank of Toronto Building, phone Empire 1832, through the courtesy of Mr. A. Patten.

There is a need for the putting on of such a dinner, and we earnestly appeal to the public to donate toys, candy, fruit, nuts, turkeys or any other foods to make this an enjoyable event for our little guests. Mrs. Maude Hammond has kindly consented to look after the concert for the children.

The Victoria City Temple is co-operating by donating the use of its banquet hall and facilities for the dinner. Registration of the children will start Wednesday at the Government Street headquarters.

ARDAH CAMPBELL, Convener.  
 Vancouver Island Unemployment League, 711 Bank of Toronto Building, Victoria, B.C., December 2, 1935.

### CHRIST CHURCH, WINNIPEG

Sir,—On December 8 and 15 the parish of Christ Church, Winnipeg, will celebrate its diamond jubilee. The second oldest parish in the actual city of Winnipeg, for sixty years this church has occupied a unique position with regard to Western Canada. Situated in Point Douglas, close to the C.P.R. station, under the successive ministrations of Bishop Grisdale, Archdeacon Pennebreath, Rev. Welbury Milton, Sidney Carrington Chambers and William Walser, it was associated with those who came here seeking fresh homes and new prosperity. We think that many such will look back with pleasure on their memories of the church and might like to have a copy of a short history of the parish, which is being published in commemoration of the present occasion through the generosity of friends.

It is too much to expect a corporate reunion at this time, although five years ago more than three hundred past members of the congregation assembled for this purpose: it is, however, hoped to secure a much wider, if less tangible one, by thought, retrospect and good will. May we ask, through your columns, for names and addresses of any interested to be sent to us at an early date.

On behalf of the vestry, I am,  
 THOMAS BOON,  
 St. John's College, Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 23, 1935.

### VOTES FOR ORIENTALS

Sir,—Through the kindness of a friend, your issue of October 15 has brought to my attention the letter of Mr. Frank Ayris on "Votes for Orientals." Without embarking on the pros and cons thereof, further thought suggests the possibility that Orientalers, perhaps, sufficient return for taxation in the normal protection accorded their interests in being resident in the British Empire, may I point out two salient features in the letter under reference?

Mr. Ayris takes his stand on "The Golden Rule," and while it is possible that, even unilaterally applied, Canada would gain by it, perhaps, "Do as you are done by" may be fair enough for practical purposes, for a time anyway. I am a house-owner in Tokio (and a very satisfied one), but I have no vote under any circumstances, while I pay my full share of taxation to maintain, among other things, the Japanese military forces.

Point 2: While some Japanese who gave their services during the war are no doubt now "native sons" of Canada (?) if they are still resident, while I, a British-born member of Canada's forces, am refused citizenship granted for war service, the Oriental (Japanese at any rate) child born in Canada or America tends to gravitate towards Japan in his loyalties wherever there are Japanese language schools run under the aegis of Buddhist priests. Doubtless, please look at Hawaii. I put this forward as a point for




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consideration and wish it clearly understood that it is done in no sense of derogatory to Japan. Finally, since I am on the topic, I submit that the action of successive Canadian Governments in allowing fishing interests operated by foreigners on the coast of British Columbia is a piece of gross and criminal negligence. As also is the freedom of movement allowed Japanese equally with Empire citizens, inland and offshore, with no police check whatsoever! In this country the reverse is the case, and rightly so. Yesterday, three Americans spent the afternoon in the police station under close interrogation for photographing a string of radishes hung out to dry. You see, it was within a fortified zone! Will you boys stop that laughing!

E. GRIFFITH,  
 168 Taishincho Machi, Satagayaku, Tokio, Japan, Nov. 19, 1935.

### THE BLACK PERIL

Sir,—Have read The Magazine Digest for this month. There is there an article apropos of your article in today's Colonist about the Black Peril. Colonel Lawrence was aware of this danger, and General Smuts in South Africa also bears it out. There is another article in the same number entitled "King of Arabia."

THOMAS P. YOUNG,  
 2130 Central Avenue, Victoria, B.C., November 25, 1935.

### PETROL FROM COAL

Sir,—That story in your issue of November 17, covering Britain's plant at Billingham-on-Tees (England), for the production of 150,000 tons of petrol from British coal, interested me greatly.

In making this effort at a measure of fuel self-reliance, it seems to me that the Motherland shows Canadians a worthwhile example of resourcefulness and initiative. I believe that those modern magicians—like in United Kingdom and Canadian laboratories—can show their respective peoples the way out of their difficulties, arising from scarcity of petrol on the one hand and the abundance of wheat on the other.

As you are doubtless aware, sir, even the United States sees the exhaustion period for present crude petroleum supplies as not more than fifteen years ahead. The following incisive paragraph from the pen of Mr. Paul Gray, it seems to me, has a real significance for Western Canadian agriculture:

"Looking about for uses for ethyl alcohol, we find that the largest single market is that supplied by gasoline. If the entire output was used in this way it would not satisfy demand. If a 10 per cent blend were used with gasoline, it would wipe out the farm surplus of grains in one year."

I believe that Canadians are too level-headed, as a people, to fail to realize that we are winning out on the wheat surplus problem primarily through the good offices of Nature, plus a steady policy of endeavoring to turn back to the growers the largest possible portion of the urban bread dollar. Nevertheless, if the weatherman had not dealt a bit unkindly with thousands of our own wheat farmers, and greater thousands in the United States, wheat belt, and still other thousands of ruined fields in the Argentine, where would we be today, in terms of wheat valuations?

I think it is up to Canada's research laboratories to take a hand



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## WARN AGAINST FAKE CANVASS

Gyro Hamper Fund Officials  
Report Unauthorized Per-  
sons Collecting

Gyro Club Hamper Fund officials last night, reported that unauthorized persons were using the Gyro Club name to raise funds which they said would be turned over to the campaign. Harold L. Butters, secretary-manager, stated that "there is absolutely no one soliciting subscriptions for the fund."

"We are running the drive on a purely contributory basis and these persons have no authority from this office to collect funds," said Mr. Butters.

He urged householders or business officials to communicate with Gyro

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Club headquarters at either Empire 1127, 1128 or 1129, should any attempt be made to solicit them. "Stall them until you can communicate with us and we will investigate ourselves," said Mr. Butters.

Yesterday saw the opening of the hamper headquarters at 915 Yates Street in premises formerly occupied by Walter Revercomb. The building was donated by Munday's Shoe Store. The building provides plenty of space for the packing of hampers and there are two large offices, one for the executive work of the organization and the other for the registration department.

Victoria firms are co-operating in supplying necessary equipment for the offices, while all the secretarial work is being done voluntarily. Kingham-Gillespie Coal Co., W. L. Morgan Fuel Co., McDowell & Mann and the Carter Stove Company are assisting in heating the building.

### DONATE EQUIPMENT

Remington Typewriter Company and the Cameron Lumber Co. have loaned typewriters, chairs have been given by the Y.M.C.A., electrical lighting system by Ascroft Electric Company, plumbing by Robert Smith, electric power by the B.C. Electric Railway Co., and free water by the city of Victoria. A further appeal for typewriters was issued yesterday by Mr. Butters. Three telephone systems have been installed at the expense of Vaughn's Groceries and the Palm Dairy.

The registration department, guided by Angus W. MacInnes and Percy Moir, has divided the city into districts, each with its own filing system. The filing arrangements have been perfected to save time and prevent duplication.

Working parties will assemble the hampers on Wednesday evening under the direction of Louis Glazan. In this connection, Mr. Butters last night requested that any person possessing one of last year's hampers bring it into the hamper headquarters.

## Annual Poultry Show to Be Held Here December 18

The forty-sixth annual Winter show of the Victoria Poultry Association will be held in the building next to the National Motors on Yates Street from December 18 to 21. H. G. Robinson, secretary, announced yesterday.

The show is one of the oldest, if not the oldest, on the Pacific Coast. There will be classes for all breeds of fowl, including bantams, and all breeders, particularly the smaller breeders, are invited to exhibit their birds. There is no entrance fee.

Entry forms may be secured from Mr. Robinson, Prospect Lake, or from any feed store in the city.

## SENATOR IS FACING JURY

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In the middle of January witness said, she had gone to Mr. Planta's office with her son. The accused had given her some blank mortgage forms to sign. There was nothing on them but the regular printed matter—no typewriting or notations, etc. At this point witness was shown a mortgage form, which she said was the one she had signed but, since signing it, the paper had been filled in. She had signed three forms in blank.

### DOCUMENT SHOWN

The document was then shown to the jury. It was said to be a mortgage given to Henry Aho on property owned by Mrs. Bernard at 12 per cent interest, payable quarterly. Witness then described property owned by her, which included a lot on Campbell Street, one on Pine and Wentworth Streets and one on Newcastle Town site.

Continuing, she said that her son had gone to Vancouver, and found that prices of timber had dropped, and he did not want to go ahead with his proposed deal. Senator Planta, in the meantime, had been instructed to draw up documents for the timber deal. When witnesses came back from Vancouver, it was decided to drop the timber transaction. She had gone to the accused and told him she would not need the mortgage money. He handed her the timber agreement, and said that it was no use to him. Witness had asked the accused if he would destroy the mortgage forms she had signed, and he had replied, "Sure, I will."

Later, the witness related, she had gone back with her son as the blank mortgage papers were bothering her. Mr. Planta had asked her: "Why worry, you never got the money, did you? So why worry?"

### TOLD OF LOAN

Mrs. Bernard said she had not thought any more about the transaction until March, 1934, when Aho came to her house and asked her about payments of interest on a mortgage, which he held on her property. Later, he had shown her a copy of the mortgage, which he held. It was the first time, she said, she knew her property had been mortgaged.

She had gone to see Mr. Planta, but he was away at Ottawa, Mrs. Bernard said. On his return he had come to her home and said he was sorry that she was having trouble about a mortgage, but that he would fix it up.

Witness said she had gone to Mr. Planta several times later, and he had always said he would fix it up, "today or tomorrow." She had then sent her son to Vancouver, to come over and help settle the matter.

### CHEQUE PRODUCED

She was shown a cheque signed by Henry Aho, and made out in favor of "Irma Bernard." It was the first time, she swore, that she had ever seen it. It was dated January 24, 1931.

In cross-examination by J. R. Nicholson, defence counsel, Mrs. Bernard said she had done business for over forty years with Mr. Planta. His Lordship asked if she meant four or forty, and was assured she meant "forty."

"It does not seem possible," remarked the bench, "You look too young." However, witness continued, she had thought Mr. Planta an honest man and admitted in reply to a question that she had voted for him when he ran for mayor—she had voted eight times for him, she volunteered, "but," she added, "never again—not now."

### AHO'S STORY

Henry Aho related to the jury how he had advanced the money on the security of Mrs. Bernard's property. Interest payments had been made from 1931 to 1934. When, however, the full amount of interest was not forthcoming he had gone to Mrs. Bernard about the matter and discovered that she denied having borrowed from him.

He declared that when he spoke to Senator Planta on the subject, the latter expressed regret and promised to repay the money. This was later done and, the witness declared, the accused had asked him to withdraw the charge. This he could not do as the matter was out of his hands.

The case is continuing.

### Y.M.C.A. Meetings

Members of the Y.M.C.A. Quad Club will hold their annual meeting at 7 o'clock this evening. Jack Allison will preside.

In the Junior Businessmen's Basketball League, Harold Hubbard's Bruins will meet Stanley Moore's Tuffies at 8:15 o'clock this evening. In the senior league, Jack Taylor's Notre Dame team will meet Roy Berryman's Seton College players at 9:15 o'clock.

A meeting of the Hi-Y Club will be held at the home of Lewis Clark, 1825 Hollywood Crescent, at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening.

On Saturday morning, the Y.M.C.A. Junior Leaders' Corps will meet for instruction, swimming, lunch and a study period.

## P. Z. CAVERHILL BACK IN CITY

Chief Forester Attended Em-  
pire Forestry Conference  
In South Africa



P. Z. CAVERHILL

P. Z. Caverhill, chief forester of the Province, returned to the city yesterday from his second trip to South Africa, where he attended the Empire Forestry Conference last Summer. He will report today to

the Government on the results of his mission.

Mr. Caverhill traveled by way of London and Ottawa, stopping over at the Dominion capital to take part in a meeting of the forestry sub-committee of the National Research Council.

At the Empire gathering the chief forester presented a detailed paper on British Columbia forest resources as part of the Canadian delegation's contribution to discussions shared in by many countries and by noted authorities.

## EVOLUTION TO BE LECTURE SUBJECT

Rev. Walter Ellis, of Vancouver Bible Schools, to Speak at Cridge Memorial Hall

In the Cridge Memorial Hall on Friday, at 8 p.m., a lecture of more than usual present-day interest will be given by Rev. Walter Ellis, M.A., B.D., of Vancouver, on "Evolution, the Canker of Modern Life."

Principal of the Vancouver Bible School, Mr. Ellis holds a high place as one of the most scholarly of modern expositors. During his university career, he took the honor course in Oriental languages and literature at Toronto University and post-graduate studies in Hebrew and Babylonian for his M.A.

His address on Friday is under the auspices of the Evolution Protest Movement, which started a year ago in England, and has spread rapidly in Canada.

## EARL JELICOE MEMORIAL HELD

St. John's Church Scene of  
Impressive Service to  
Naval Hero

An impressive memorial service for the late Earl Jellicoe of Scapa was conducted by Rev. Canon Chadwick at St. John's Church on Sunday evening. The service was planned by Victoria District Council of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., in co-operation with Commander G. C. Jones, R.C.N.

Those present included His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, attended by Lieutenant-Commander A. Wurtele, Lieutenant-General Sir Percy Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., and Lady Lake, Sir Richard Lake and Lady Lake, Commander Jones and Brigadier D. J. MacDonald, D.S.O., M.C. The distinguished visitors were met by Canon Chadwick at the entrance and conducted to their seats.

Also present, besides a representative gathering of citizens, were 110 officers and men from the Naval Barracks, thirty men and six officers from Princess Patricia Canadian Light Infantry at Work Point Barracks, officers and men from non-permanent military units, representatives of ex-servicemen's organizations and their women's auxiliaries.

### SOLEMN MUSIC

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marches from Chopin, Handel and Mendelssohn. Opening sentences of the burial service were read, followed by the 23rd Psalm.

Canon Chadwick chose as his text "The King at sea had a navy," from Kings x, verse 22. He gave a brief sketch of the British Navy as the shield of the Empire, explaining how it had preserved freedom and independence of nations.

Speaking of the Battle of Jutland, Canon Chadwick said God ought to be thanked on that occasion that the King had a navy at sea. In addition to being a devout and loyal Christian, the late Earl Jellicoe was one of the greatest naval heroes of the Empire. In paying reverent tribute to his memory, he believed all should endeavor to perform their duties to Church and State as did Earl Jellicoe.

The lesson was read from Corinthians xv, verse 20, after which the anthem, "What Are These," and the hymn, "Valiant Hearts," were sung. After the singing of Hymn 219, benediction and playing of the "Dead Reveille."

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## Council Is Divided On Leasing Worsted Mill to Film Firm

**Project Will Go Ahead, However, With Seven Members in Favor of Agreement—Tenders to Be Called for Purchase of Machinery**

On a vote of seven to four, the City Council last night authorized the drawing up of a lease on the British Columbia Worsted Mill Building with Isadore Barsky and George Schneiderman for the production of motion pictures here.

The terms of the lease finally settled upon last night follow:

Twenty-year lease with rental \$600 annually for the first five years; \$750 annually for the next five years; and \$1,500 annually for the following ten years; that the city make the necessary alterations to the buildings, which include re-roofing, raising the roof, repaving roof, and removing machinery; that the company have the right to purchase the building for its assessed value after the first five years of occupancy; and that the company post a bond of good faith with the city amounting to \$2,500 while alterations to the building are being effected.

**THE DIVISION**

Those who voted against these terms were Aldermen James Adams, Dr. J. D. Hunter, Andrew McGavin and Archie Wills.

Those who voted in favor were: Aldermen Walter Luney, T. W. Hawkins, R. A. C. Dewar, P. R. Brown, Alex Peden, John Worthington and Mayor David Leeming.

Following the decisions, it was decided to call for bids for the worsted mill machinery, so that the expense

## GIVES LECTURE ON EDUCATION

**Professor C. B. Wood Discusses Creative Side of Learning and Teaching**

"Created Education" and its relation to schools and school training was the subject of a lecture given last night by Professor C. B. Wood, of the department of education of the University of British Columbia, in the Girls' Central School, under the auspices of the University Extension Association.

The subject entailed a wide discussion of the factors that enter into creativeness in the numerous branches of recognized education and was a valuable contribution to the controversy concerning the psychology of creative genius.

**IN THE SCHOOLS**

Although Professor Wood quoted the opinions of various psychologists on the problem of the "inner urge," the principal part of his lecture was devoted to a discussion of creative education in the schools. He openly expressed the opinion that there should be a period for "musing and deliberation" in the school curricula that would permit the student to engage in creative thinking

## The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

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## City and District

**Another Wharf Site**—The Province reserved an acre of foreshore land at Williams Landing yesterday for use by the Dominion for construction of a wharf on Howe Sound.

**Meeting Tonight**—The parents' committee of the First St. Paul's Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in St. Paul's Hall.

**Coal Stolen**—Sixteen sacks of coal were stolen from his woodyard on Discovery Street over the week-end, W. B. Fairclough, 564 Yates Street, reported to city police.

**Meeting Tonight**—Members of the Y.M.C.A. public speaking class will hold a dinner at the Dominion Hotel at 6:15 o'clock this evening. William Clark will be the toastmaster.

**Revision of List**—There will be a revision of the Oak Bay court of revision on the municipal voters list for the year 1936, on Tuesday, December 10. This sitting will be held at 5:15 p.m. in the Municipal Hall, Oak Bay.

**Rings Taken**—A gold ring set with rubies and a platinum ring containing diamonds were stolen from the home of Mrs. F. Lee, 2012 1/2 Fernwood Road, over the week-end, it was reported to city police yesterday.

**Badly Shaken**—M. G. Crump, 2201 Chambers Street, was badly shaken, but suffered no serious injury when the automobile he was driving south on Quadra Street was in collision with a car going east on Hillside Avenue on Saturday night, according to city police.

**Return Mining Claims**—The Province restored nine mineral claims in the Kamloops division of Yale yesterday to the Cinnabar Mining Company, Ltd., according to an application for return of lands escheated to the Crown in 1932, when the company was temporarily struck from the register.

**Prohibited Areas**—The City Council last night decided to establish prohibited parking areas on the south side of Yates Street for a distance of seventy-five feet west from Douglas Street and sixty-five feet west from Broad Street. This is designed to relieve traffic congestion.

**Resting Comfortably**—Eric Strothers, fourteen years old, East Saanich Road, who suffered the loss of two fingers and part of the palm of one hand, Saturday afternoon, when the loaded abogee he was cleaning discharged, was resting comfortably, yesterday, Royal Jubilee Hospital authorities reported last night.

**Give Dredging Lease**—Len Staples was granted a Provincial dredging lease on three miles of Tron Gulch, Atlin district, yesterday, by Provincial order. The lease is for three years, at a rental of \$50 per mile, with development work set at \$1,250 per annum during that period. C. I. Inkman and associates were granted lease of foreshore land at Harrison Lake at a yearly rental of \$13.00.

**Showing Sketches**—Following the annual meeting of the Island Arts and Crafts Society, to be held in the clubrooms, Metropolitan Building, tomorrow evening, there will be an exhibition of the Summer's work of the Sketch Club. On Thursday afternoon, from 3 to 6 o'clock, the exhibition will be open to the public, when the hostesses to the Sketch Club during the weekly sketching will be the guests of honor at tea.

**Soldiers Complete Bargain**—Three housing grants of \$800 each were released by the Province yesterday, on completed by returned men of the full terms of their agreements with British Columbia municipalities under the Better Housing Act. The grants were made in respect of agreements entered between Vancouver and Albert Robson Doe; Vernon and the estate of Edward McTaggart; and West Vancouver and Major James Edleston.

**Business Meeting**—The Vancouver Island Association of Pipers, Drummers and Dancers will hold a general business meeting this evening at 8 o'clock in the Canadian Scottish bandroom in the Bay Street Armories. A good attendance of members and all interested in the growth of the association is desired, as important business will be discussed. A special invitation is issued to the Highland dancers of the city to attend this meeting.

**To Mark Jubilee**—Tomorrow night will be an evening of sociability and fellowship for members, adherents and friends of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West, in commemoration of the jubilee year of the Presbyterian Church in Canada. Members of the various organizations of the church will contribute to the short programme, which will commence at 7:45 o'clock and the guest speaker will be Rev. K. MacKie Niven.

**Seeks Naturalization**—Robert Wesley Driver, who is a blacksmith at Mulligan's camp, Sooke, wants to become a Canadian citizen. A native of Surrey, England, the applicant took out his naturalization in the United States following residence there. He has been a resident of Vancouver Island for nearly twenty-five years and wants now to become a British subject. His application will be heard at the March sitting of the County Court.

**Head Injured**—Dr. E. Whitehouse, Brentwood, received a scalp wound when the automobile in which he was a passenger was in collision with another at the bottom of Signal Hill, Saturday night. He was treated by Dr. J. S. McCallum and taken home. Dr. Whitehouse was riding with Olaf Lowenburg, 616 Trutch Street, and the driver of the other machine was Mrs. Frances Dauphin, 607 Montreal Street. Equilmalt police reported yesterday.

**Visiting City**—Arthur V. Allen, Los Angeles, Pacific Coast representative of the far-famed Waldorf Astoria Hotel in New York, is paying a business visit to Victoria. He explained several Victorians register room time to time each year in the hotel, which is reputed to be the largest in the world, being forty-seven stories high and containing 2,200 rooms. During his stay in the city, Mr. Allen will be at the Empress Hotel.

**Appointments Made**—Donald Denham was appointed inspector of steam boilers by the Province yesterday at a salary of \$2,400 per annum, less authorized deductions in force since 1931. A temporary stenographer at the Prince George Agency was made permanent, with a small increase in salary. Thomas McClymont was appointed juvenile court judge at Prince Rupert, without salary. Henry Carter will replace William Stromberg as deputy mining recorder in the Nanaimo division, with remuneration on a commission basis.

**Successful Smoker**—Arranged by H. Sudlow, F. W. Macpherson and Walter Brown, a smoking concert recently given at Otter Point Community Hall for members of the relief camps in the district was a great success, about 140 attending and showing much appreciation of the succession of entertaining numbers. Special features of the programme were the recitations made by Tom Obee and his party, and community singing and refreshments and smokes supplied by Victoria businessmen and veterans' organizations gave a happy supplement to the good fare.

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**WOMAN EDUCATOR DEAD**  
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# Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

## Discrimination Against Vancouver Island Shown

**B. A. McKelvie Addresses Well-Attended Meeting Of Overseas Club—Corresponding Benefits Not Received for Revenue Exacted**

Suffering, ever since Confederation, from constant discriminatory treatment, both on the part of the Provincial and Dominion Governments; contributing revenue far out of proportion to the benefits enjoyed; Vancouver Island cannot hope for amendment of conditions until greater unity of spirit is developed, maintained B. A. McKelvie, managing editor of The Colonist, in addressing the Victoria branch of the Overseas Club at their regular monthly meeting yesterday.

"Control of administration must be sought and held under the use of political patronage, which means that everyone who is in power must look to the source of the campaign funds. These are raised, in the main, on the Mainland, and the Mainland campaigner has never been known to go out of his way to help Vancouver Island," said the speaker.

Captain Cook discovered Vancouver Island in 1778. Ten years later as the result of the publication of his and other journals, the fur traders had come to this Coast in search of the sea-otter. This profitable industry, land animal furs, whaling, coal, halibut, fisheries, these had all gone, and the life of the lumber industry was limited.

And while the Government had collected tens of millions of dollars revenue, none of it had been used to create new activities to take the place of those destroyed.

### FREE PORTS GONE

Until November, 1866, Vancouver Island was a separate political entity, under Sir James Douglas, enjoying prosperity. On retiring Sir James had suggested that any tampering with the then-existing policy of free-ports for Vancouver Island and restricting tariffs for the Mainland would court disaster. Later, Vancouver Island became annexed to British Columbia, and the free ports were done away with. The evil effects had been felt on the Island for seventy years, with the removal of many of the leading business interests to the Mainland. Under Union, too, the political power became centred in the Mainland also, the Mainland now having thirty-eight members to the Island's ten.

Land-reclamation schemes, it was stated, had cost the Province about \$31,000,000, of which about \$29,000,000 had been spent on the Mainland. About \$120,000,000 was represented as having been spent on the roads of the Province since Confederation, \$40,000,000 of the amount supposedly on the roads of Vancouver Island. Could one imagine where?

The cost of the University building at Point Grey was supposed to be paid for out of lands, without extra charge on the taxpayers. But already more than \$2,000,000 had been paid to clear and put the land in shape in addition to the cost of the buildings.

### SCENERY LOCKED UP

Owing to the lack of road development on Vancouver Island, our greatest tourist asset, the scenery, was locked away, inaccessible. A Washington engineer here recently had made the comment that even such roads as had been constructed on the Island only about 30 cents on the dollar value had been given.

Referring to the discrimination that had been shown against the Ladysmith oyster industry, Mr. McKelvie stated he was not blaming the individual legislators, but the system which made such discrimination possible.

In the matter of the setting aside of national parks, too, the Mainland had received a disproportionate share. The Dominion Government, wishing to have a national park on the tide-water, had asked for fifty square miles on the West Coast. They were told they should go to the Mainland, and when the Mainland could not induce them to be interested in anything there, the matter was not pushed any further by the Province. One might question, too, the discrimination shown in favor of Vancouver in the matter of airplane base, park restoration, watershed lease, and against Vancouver Island in the matter of development of Strathcona Park, the Forbidden Plateau, road extension to Port Renfrew, road develop-

## Special Prizes to Be Given in Baby Show Tomorrow

WORD has just been received that, in addition to the handsome prizes already listed, Ayerst, McKenna & Harrison, Ltd., of Montreal, will make a gift of cod liver oil to the first prize winning babies of each class in The Colonist Baby Show, to be held tomorrow at the Armories. H. J. Heinz Company have also come forward with presentation of their prepared foods for distribution among the prize winners.

With 250 babies already entered, The Colonist Baby Show will undoubtedly be one of the most outstanding events of its kind ever held in Victoria. Judging will commence at 2 p.m., Class "A" being the first to be called. Class "B" will follow at 3 p.m. and Class "C" at 4 p.m.

The prizes will be presented by Mayor David Leeming as soon as the judging committee announces the results of each class.

ment to Elk Falls and other scenic attractions.

Dr. A. G. Price presided and expressed the warm thanks of the members for the interesting and informative talk.

## Clubs-Societies

### St. Andrew's Guild

The Women's Guild of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church met yesterday afternoon in the lecture room of the church, the president, Mrs. John Cochrane, in the chair. After the devotions, the treasurer's report was read and the annual silver tea, held recently, was pronounced a great success. The president read a letter from Miss Mead of North Pine, thanking the members for the generous gifts of money and clothing for the settlers in the Peace River district. The nominating committee for the annual meeting was appointed as follows: Mrs. James Stewart, Mrs. George Sanson and Mrs. J. R. Pearce. Tea was served after the meeting, the hostesses being Mesdames E. H. Griffiths, E. A. Robinson and Mrs. William Head, and the thanks of the guild was expressed to the hostesses by the president.

### Silver Tea Held

The Quadra Circle of the Centennial Ladies' Guild held a successful silver tea on Friday, at the home of Mrs. W. McCague, 2808 Graham Street. A delightful programme was given, the following artists taking part: Misses E. Clarke, V. Cross, M. Scouler and I.

### DANCE ON FRIDAY

Final plans for the dance to be held on Friday evening by St. Margaret's School Old Girls' Association were made at a meeting held at the school yesterday afternoon.

## Jane Dixon Says:

**A BROKEN HEART MAY BE MENDED, BUT A SQUANDERED YOUTH NEVER CAN BE RETRIEVED**

Dear Miss Dixon: I'm twenty-one and terribly in love with a married man. He is thirty.

He has been separated from his wife for a number of years, and is now living in a house with his two children, whom he has cared for since the separation. His wife found another interest.

What can I do to straighten the tangle? Divorce is not recognized by the church of which this man is a member, and I don't think he could secure a divorce anyhow, because of the cost.

We have tried to stop seeing one another, but it is useless—we're so much in love.

Do you think I should give this man up, even though it would break my heart to do so?

We are trying, earnestly, to solve this problem, so that is why I am writing to you.

### WILL LEAD TO UNHAPPINESS

Answer: This column will never take issue with man or woman on religious or political conviction.

The blessed country in which we live is a free country, where men and women may live according to the dictates of their own conscience, so long as they do not destroy the foundation on which freedom is built.

I may give you my own conviction, but you must remember that it merely is an individual one and can, under no circumstances, be taken as a measure of the whole.

I believe that when we have made a mistake in choosing our marriage partner, we are privileged to dissolve the partnership.

The law of this country provides for our marital mistakes, and for the dissolution of unfortunate partnership.

### FAILS TO EXERCISE CONSCIENCE

There is a vast difference, however, between civil law and ecclesiastical law.

You tell me that the man's religious belief imbues him with conscientious scruple against divorce. No criticism of him is offered on this point.

Criticism is made, however, of his failure to exercise his conscience in behalf of his love life as well as of his married life.

His scruples being what they are, if he were a man of strength and nobility of character, he would refrain from carrying on a love affair which can bring nothing except unhappiness to himself and the one who loves him.

And he is not going right when he holds to the heart and imperils the life happiness of another human being because he is too weak to stand by his convictions.

A man with such a sturdy conscience as he claims should know the meaning of sacrificial love, and that is the love he owes to you if he is unable, because of conviction, to offer you the home and the companionship that every true and loving woman deserves.

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If the man insists on adhering to his religious principle, I see nothing you can do to straighten the tangle, except to put it definitely behind you.

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## Bazaar Nets Good Sum for League Funds

The two-days' bazaar in aid of the funds of St. Andrew's Cathedral, and held under the general convener'ship of Mrs. Blair Reid, president of the Victoria Subdivision Catholic Women's League, on Friday and Saturday, realized the sum of \$1,500.

The committee is most grateful to all who generously contributed to its success.

### SPECIAL PRIZES

Winners of the prizes at the various stalls were as follows: Pyrex dish, Mrs. Goodwin, 942 Kings Road; candy, P. Sobry; picture, L. McDonald, Sunset Avenue; ironing board, V. Oeler; sack of flour, T. Leahy; box of groceries, Rev. L. S. Ward; pair of pillows, Rev. Father Guekers; chicken dinner, Mr. Westendale; ham, H. Silver; casserole, Mrs. Preston, George Road; book, Mrs. Bunker, Mount Douglas Apartments; luncheon set, Miss O'Connor; purse, Mrs. C. A. Sabin; doll, Mrs. A. Sutcliffe; silver knives, Miss K. MacDowell; tray (novelty still), Mrs. Preston; rose bowl, Mr. Napier; linen cloth, Mrs. Gagnon; electric toaster, Miss O'Neill, Graftonville Avenue; ham, Mrs. H. Lineham; half ton cake, Mrs. Beaven Allan; potatoes, Suite 4 Park Mansions; fruit cake, Mrs. Cummertford; fruit cake, Miss Alice Kelly; blanket, Miss Helen Turk; waffle iron, Mrs. McKenzie, Cloverdale Avenue; \$5 scrip, Miss O'Connor; home-made candy, Mrs. Nolte; permanent wave, Miss Marie Burns; \$10 cash, Mrs. Preston; tray (candy still), Miss McDowell; basket of candy, Miss E. A. Hill, 710 Queens Avenue; canary, C. Collins; set of dishes, Mrs. W. J. Sullivan, Quebec Street; ice cream cake, Mr. A. Grant; fruit-cake guessing contest, exact weight, 10 lbs, 2 ozs., Miss Ella McKay and Rev. Father Albury.

### CONTEST RESULTS

Contest prizes were won as follows: First, D. R. Kissinger; second, Mrs. M. Smyth, Point Ellice; third, Mary Hines, Burdett Avenue; fourth, Mrs. E. M. Carvin; fifth, Mrs. M. Doyle; sixth, Mrs. Doyle; seventh, C. Cordick, Hampton Road; eighth, Mrs. A. Rivers, Heywood Avenue; ninth, C. Grimm, 1818 Blanshard Street; tenth, Mrs. D. Ahern, 1428 Yates Street; eleven, Mrs. F. I. Doherty; twelve, Mrs. C. Grimm, 2630 Quadra Street.

### Witty Kitty

By KENA WILCOX FUTHAM



The girl chum says one drawback to television will be that, when someone obstructs your view at a sports event, you can't yell, "Down in front."

## Little Stories for Bedtime

Danny Meadow Mouse Visits the Smiling Pool

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

Danny Meadow Mouse had taken it into his funny little head to go over to the Smiling Pool. Just why he did it nobody knows. Perhaps it was because he wanted to consult Grandfather Frog, who, you know, is accounted very wise. Perhaps it was because he felt uneasy and wanted to go somewhere for a change of scene. Whatever the reason, Danny unexpectedly appeared one morning on the bank of the Smiling Pool.

The very first person he saw was Grandfather Frog sitting on his big, green lily pad. "Good morning, Grandfather Frog," squeaked Danny.

Grandfather Frog turned about in a funny little hop of startled surprise and blinked his great, goggle eyes at Danny Meadow Mouse. "Chugurum," said he in a deep gruff voice. "What are you doing over here, Danny Meadow Mouse?"

"Nothing in particular," replied Danny.

"People who are doing nothing in particular are very likely to get into trouble. Don't you know that, Danny Meadow Mouse?" demanded Grandfather Frog.

Oh, I guess I can keep out of trouble," squeaked Danny. "I don't see any trouble around here. You're looking very fine, Grandfather Frog. You don't look a day older than when I last saw you."

"I don't feel a day older," replied Grandfather Frog, and his voice was not quite so gruff. You see, it rather tickled him to be told that he looked no older. "Of course, I'm glad to see you, Danny," he continued, "but just the same I



"What are you doing over here, Danny Meadow Mouse?"

think you are taking chances in coming way over here. Longlegs the Blue Heron comes over here almost every day, and I have an idea that he would just as soon, and perhaps a little rather, have a fat Meadow Mouse for his dinner as an old frog like me."

"I believe you are not glad to see me at all," declared Danny. "You are trying to scare me."

"No such thing," replied Grandfather Frog, gruffly. "But I never like to see anybody take unnecessary risks. You know, I believe in safety first. Now what would you do if Reddy Fox should suddenly appear right behind you? You would be in a tight place. There isn't a thing for you to hide under, and hiding in the grass wouldn't do you a bit of good, for that keen nose of Reddy's would soon find you."

"Reddy isn't here, so what's the good of borrowing trouble?"

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squeaked Danny. "It's time enough to worry when there is something to worry about. Did you ever know a finer day, Grandfather Frog?"

Next Story: "Danny Meadow Mouse Is in a Tight Place."

**CARD PARTY TONIGHT**

The Hollywood Club of Gonzales will hold a card party tonight commencing at 8 o'clock in the annex of Margaret Jenkins School. Among the games to be played will be auction bridge. An invitation is extended to anyone interested. It is planned to hold these social card parties every week, if possible.

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# Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

## Merriman Talks but Gets Job

It's a secret no longer. The Victoria Press Club's "brain trust" has failed. All the great minds have pondered long and patiently to solve the problem of how to give away a diamond ring, and have not succeeded.

The intellectuals of the "brain trust" have come to the firm conviction that it would be easier to dispose of the Hutton millions than to dispose of a diamond ring, and incidentally the diamond must in no way be confused with the products that built up the Hutton millions.

It is an honest-to-goodness woman's solitary diamond ring that the most fastidious young lady would be proud of wearing that the Press Club wants to give away.

Why do they want to give it away? Well, just because 1936 is Leap Year and the Press Club is planning to have a ball on Friday, February 14.

## St. Ann's Girls Hear Miss Clay

Miss Margaret Clay, city librarian, recently addressed a big gathering of St. Ann's Academy girls, telling about the history of the Carnegie Foundation, with special reference to the place of the Victoria Public

Library. Introduced by the Sister Superior, Miss Clay held her audience fascinated for nearly an hour. This evening the girls will give a programme of singing, dancing and other numbers in celebration of St. Andrew, patron saint of the parish.

## Christmas Work Is Planned by Junior Auxiliary

Plans for the Christmas work were discussed at the monthly meeting of the Junior W.A. of the Jubilee Hospital yesterday afternoon at the Nurses' Home, the president, Mrs. John A. Stewart, in the chair.

Miss Claire Layborn was appointed convener of the Christmas tree decorating committee, and all members of the auxiliary were asked to make a special effort to meet at the hospital on Monday, December 23, to decorate the tree. Those able to go were asked to telephone Miss Layborn, Garden 5973. Miss Merrick and Mrs. George Tyson were appointed as buying committee for Christmas presents for the patients.

Miss Shandley read the secretary's report and Miss Marcia Prior read the financial report. Mrs. R. A. Wootton, convener of the diets committee, reported four cases carried on from last month and three new cases added. Miss Frances Price, convener of the clothes committee, reported two calls for clothing during the month, and appealed for more warm clothing for children up to six years of age and woolen sweaters for men in the hospital annex.

**BANDAGING COMMITTEE**  
Mrs. K. R. F. Denniston, reporting for the bandaging committee said that during the month 175 dozen fluffs and 203 dozen swabs had been made, the committee meeting each Thursday morning at the Nurses' Home. Mrs. Leslie Aylard, head of the vocational committee, asked for wool which could be used by the patients.

Miss Eileen Tomlin reported three trips made by the transportation group, and Miss Layborn read the sewing committee's report. Miss May-Lou Ross reported knitting being done for the showcase on the fourth floor.

Miss McBride, the social service worker at the hospital, gave a resume of the month's activities, commenting upon the special cases

and the contacts made with various social agencies.

**BALL RESULTS**  
Mrs. Denniston gave a detailed statement of the hospital ball results, the auxiliary's share of the proceeds being \$340.65. A special vote of thanks was accorded Mrs. Denniston and Mrs. R. H. B. Ker, the convener of the ball; Miss Helen Crawford, tickets convener; Miss McCannan, Mrs. W. B. Wilson, Mrs. P. McLoughlin, Miss Ross, The Daily Colonist and Daily Times, and all who had assisted in making the ball such an outstanding success.

## Preparations Discussed for Annual Bazaar

At the meeting of Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., held yesterday afternoon, final plans were discussed for the annual bazaar to be held on Saturday, commencing at 10 a.m. Many fancy and useful articles will be on sale.

Luncheon will be served from 12 to 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and tea will be served from 3 o'clock on. The convener is: Fancywork, Mrs. H. Lethaby; aprons, Mrs. A. Lucas and Mrs. R. Marsh; novelties, Mrs. F. McKenzie; Christmas tree, Mrs. A. Moody; Mrs. G. Brooker and Mrs. Hogan; home cooking, Mrs. P. Baylis; hospital stall, Mrs. K. Kitchen; luncheon and afternoon tea, Mrs. H. Catterall; Mrs. J. Baker; Mrs. W. Adie; Mrs. F. Doidge and Mrs. L. McKie. Mrs. J. Clarke is in charge of the sale of tickets.

Mrs. Kylie Symons presided during the business, which was opened by the members standing in silence in memory of the late Mrs. C. McAdam. Letters of thanks were read for the radio earphones which the chapter placed at each patient's bed in the pavilion at the Jubilee Hospital, and for the socks and other comforts provided. Mrs. W. Turner will provide the gift for the child in the capter's cot at the Solarium. Mrs. J. Coke, formerly a member of the I.O.D.E. in Artois, was welcomed into the chapter.

The usual Christmas dinner will be served at noon on Christmas Day to the pavilion patients. Mrs. J. Baker will be the convener, assisted by Mrs. F. Kitchen and other members. The wards will be decorated with holly and greenery and the customary Christmas tree, with a gift for each patient.

## Britain's Most Popular Young Mother



After wheeling her infant son in Belgrave Square Gardens, London, Her Royal Highness, Duchess of Kent, the former Princess Marina of Greece, is pictured as she left the gardens. Wherever the beautiful duchess goes, so goes the London crowd, as proved by the admiring males gathered at the right. Behind the princess can be seen her son's perambulator.

## Social and Personal Notes Letters to the Editor

### Engaged in California

The engagement has been announced in San Francisco of Elizabeth, daughter of Mrs. Percy Newhall of 1551 La Verda Ave., Berkeley, to Mr. S. Dacre Scott, of Montreal, youngest son of Mrs. H. J. Scott, 1156 Pandora Avenue, Victoria, and of the late Mr. Scott. Miss Newhall is a graduate of the University of California, where she was affiliated with Alpha Chi Omega Sorority. She is now attending the Merrill Palmer School in Detroit. A graduate of the University of Southern California, Mr. Scott is a member of Sigma Phi Delta fraternity and Eta Kappa Nu electrical engineering honor society. He attended the University of California and is now in business in Montreal.

### Hostess at Shower

Miss Georgina Paterson was a tea hostess yesterday afternoon at a post-nuptial shower in honor of Mrs. G. A. F. Townsend, formerly Miss Mabel Brown, at the home of Mrs. G. P. Player, Richmond Road. The invited guests were Mrs. P. R. Brown, Mrs. J. F. A. Lister, Mrs. P. Norris, Mrs. Guy Barclay, Mrs. Herbert Brown, Mrs. Harry Sparks, Mrs. Herbert Clark, Miss Vivien Combe, Miss Margaret Merrick, Miss Kathleen Haynes, Miss Frances Lightbody, Miss Mimi Cox, Miss Agnes Hood, Miss Eleanor Renwick and Mrs. L. Ray.

### To Be Married This Month

The engagement has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Tingley, of Courtenay, of their daughter, Eve May, to Mr. George Foster Harris, second son of Mrs. Isabel Harris, of Port Alberni, and of the late Mr. J. S. Harris, of Lincoln, England. The wedding will take place on Boxing Day, December 26, at St. Ann's Church, French Creek, V.I.

### Leaves Hospital

Mr. William C. Moresby, K.C., chairman of the Victoria School Board, who has been a patient at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, has returned to his home, where he is convalescing.

### Arriving Today

Mr. Lindsay Post, who has been spending several months on business in South America, will arrive today to join his wife, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Carlyle, St. Charles Street.

### Returns to Seattle

Miss Mary-Radie Anderson, of Seattle, who spent several days in the city last week as the guest of Miss Ann Breton, of the Glenholme Hotel, returned home on Sunday.

### Going to England

Lieutenant-Commander J. R. Roy, R.C.N., has been transferred for duty at Greenwich, and, with his wife and little daughter, Louise, will leave on December 14 for England.

### Week-End in Vancouver

Mr. Iver J. Gillen, of Vancouver, who is spending some time in Victoria, spent the past week-end on the Mainland with his mother, Mrs. W. H. Gillen, and has returned here.

### Back From California

Mrs. J. W. Spencer and her daughter, Miss Milanny Spencer, have returned to their home on Craigdarroch Road after spending a few weeks in Los Angeles.

### Leaves for Winnipeg

Mrs. A. Caldwell has returned to Winnipeg, after spending five months at Mrs. Wheeler's home on Bank Street.

### Holiday in Hawaiian Islands

Miss V. S. May sailed from this port Saturday evening aboard the S.S. Empress of Japan for the Hawaiian Islands.

### Move to New Address

Mrs. Ina D. D. Uthoff and family have moved from 730 St. Patrick Street to 1336 Beach Drive, Oak Bay.

### Returns Up-Island

Mrs. L. H. McLaughlin, of Chemainus, who has been spending a few days in the city, has returned home.

### Visitors Leave

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Reid, of Vancouver, who spent a few days here as the guests of Mrs. H. I. Bird, of Chaucer Street, have returned home.

### In Hospital

Friends of Miss Kate Gaudin will regret to hear that she is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital.

## St. Mary's Guild Holds Sale Today

With a fascinating assortment of Christmas novelties collected, the annual bazaar will be held this afternoon by St. Mary's Ladies' Guild at Memorial Hall, Yale Street, Oak Bay. In addition, there will be stalls of beautiful linens, home-made candy, handkerchiefs, aprons, fancywork and babies' wools. There will be crystal gazers and fortune tellers, and table tennis has been arranged as an attraction.

Tea will be served, and a cordial invitation is extended to all members and friends of St. Mary's to attend the bazaar.

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report issued by the London Chamber of Commerce under the chairmanship of Lord Leverhulme for consideration of the Ottawa conference. This report, among other things, showed that the purchasing power of the world is steadily falling, owing to the present money system and that money owing to its fluctuation has become a false measure. In Part 2 it recommended that money should not be "managed" as at present, but should be linked with business activity and backed 100 per cent by real wealth, that is, commodities with a market value.

How long will it take the people to realize that voting for policies—free trade or protection—Tweedledum or Tweedledee—from your pocket into mine and vice versa—is not the real issue. Are we to wait until another election before we effect a change?

A. H. JUKES, Major "Vines," Saanichton, B.C., November 29, 1935.

## WAR AND RELIGION

Sir.—On hearing the recent broadcast of the Victoria Branch of the League of Nations Society, it brings before our minds once again the subject of war.

War has been described as "organized destruction and mass murder by civilized nations." Our Christianity teaches us that war (no matter how we may glorify it) is diametrically opposed to the teachings of Christ. It therefore puzzles me greatly how one who tolerates this mass murder can consistently call himself a Christian.

The question naturally presents itself. Why have wars? What is the cause of them? What is Italy's sole object in carrying on her war with Ethiopia? Her sole aim is profit. In other words, to gain territorial expansion; to gain access to raw materials; to gain new investment opportunities at the expense of the Ethiopians. Here we find the cause for the majority of wars; for was not that great calamity of 1914-1918 based on the desire by the rival groups of profiteers to obtain a greater scope for profits for themselves? Therefore the conclusion presents itself to us that if the profit motive be eliminated, the principle cause for war disappears. It is to be regretted that so few meetings take place like that one of the League of Nations Society.

DOROTHY STUART  
Cobble Hill, B.C., November 30, 1935.

## PRONUNCIATION

Sir.—I read that most amusing political humoresque (November 19) by your R. B. D.

We "Americans" (Haw! Haw!) like to know how to pronounce names so that we can use them understandingly. How is the name McGeer pronounced in B.C.? Are the dynamic qualities of Mr. McGeer applicable to the last part of the name, and the Mick part adapted to his imagination? Belike, 'tis a fine point in the law. I guess ye olde Scotch ballee would deliver a judgment both speedy and balanced.

R. H. HINDS,  
61 East Cedar Street, Chicago, Ill., U.S.A., November 26, 1935.

## At the Hotels

### EMPRESS

Mr. George T. Myers, Mrs. F. T. Myers, Mrs. P. T. Fischer, Mr. C. V. Crause, Mr. Stanley Long, Seattle.

Mr. N. W. Scrivener, Miss Scrivener, Mr. J. P. Slacey, Mr. J. A. Angus, Mr. W. W. Turner, Mr. George Strachan, Mr. D. O'Hara, Mr. James McCall, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ritchey, Mr. H. I. Duncan, Mr. S. W. Taylor, Mr. T. E. Johnson, Mr. W. J. Chinick, Mr. F. Lobb, Mr. E. Lackie, Mr. S. H. Gilmour, Mr. Walter E. Robt, Dr. W. H. Hatfield, Mr. G. F. Meredith, Mr. Clarke Simpkins, all of Vancouver; Mr. D. Storper, Montreal; Col. Villiers, Cumberland; Mr. W. J. Smallcombe, Winnipeg; Mr. C. J. Speelman, New York City; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Coe, Mr. W. J. Wigmore, Calgary; Madame Marguerite de Gussene, Harrison Hot Springs; Mrs. W. F. Rhodes, Cochrane, Alta.; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hayward, Saratoga, Cal.; Mr. M. C. Cowan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bishop, Mr. A. R. Trudeau, Toronto; Mr. W. N. Limon, Vancouver; Mr. Norman Cornelius, Victoria; Baron Czavass, Cochrane, Alta.

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**CLEEVE'S ENGLISH TOFFEE**, ½ lb. **15c**

**FRASER VALLEY BUTTER**, 1-lb. prints, 32c; 3 lbs. for. **93c**

**CHEESE**, genuine matured, lb. **35c**

**BACON**, Side or Back, sliced, per lb. **32c**

**EGGS** Grade "A" Pullet, 3 dozen for. **99c**

**PITTED DATES**, per lb. **13c**

**OAT PUFFS**, per packet. **9c**

**ROMAN MEAL**, large packet. Special. **29c**

**HBC Quality Meats**

**SIRLOIN STEAK**, 1 lb. **19c**

**PORK SAUSAGE**, 1 lb. **19c**

**RIB LAMB CHOPS**, 1 lb. **19c**

**MUTTON CHOPS**, 1½ lbs. **19c**

**MINCED STEAK**, 2 lbs. **19c**

**STEW BEEF**, 2 lbs. **19c**

**BRISKET BEEF**, 3 lbs. **19c**

**FRESH COD FILLETS**, 1½ lbs. **19c**

**THE ROMANCE RACKET**  
MARIE BLIZARD

**CHAPTER XX**

**BAD TONGUE**

**BAD BREATH**

**BAD STOMACH**

**BAD FRIENDS**

**BAD EVERYTHING**

**SNAP OUT OF IT!**

**Take a Couple of Beecham's—You'll Be Better Tomorrow!**

The whole trouble is caused by poisons in the system, which clog and choke and prevent liver and stomach and intestines from functioning right.

A few doses of Beecham's—will quickly clear out the system—sweeten your breath—take that "fun" off your tongue—give you an appetite and change your whole outlook on life.

Less Than a Penny a Dose

**Beecham's PILLS**

**THE GREAT REGULATOR**

**Isobel took me to some shops and—**

**Carol inferred that her complete change had come about through Isobel—and here I am. It was all a series of lucky happenings. I happened to meet Mr. Morris and**

**he gave me a job. That's all there is to it.**

**"Oh Carol, really!"** Kathy looked at Carol archly.

**SHOP AT THE BAY**  
The Store Of A Million Gifts

**IT'S ESPECIALLY NICE TO GIVE SMART GLOVES**

English Washable Chamois, pique sewn **\$1.98**

English Washable Chamois, hand sewn **\$2.98**

Imported Capeskins in slip-on styles with firm woven linings, trimmed cuffs. Tan and brown. Per pair **\$2.50**

Capeskin, 3-button slip-on style. Brown, tan. Pair **\$1.49**

Plain slip-on kid, 4-button length. Grey, navy, brown, black. **\$1.98**

Slip-on fancy kid, attractively designed cuffs. Grey, navy, brown, black. **\$1.98**

Perrin's "Evan" washable suede, in tan, brown, grey, navy or black. **\$2.50**

Washable "Pec-Tex" the glove that resembles pigskin at less than half the price. Natural, grey, navy, brown. Hand sewn, **\$2.50**; pique sewn, **\$1.98**

Gloves, Street Floor, "The Bay"

**1,000 Pieces Silk and Rayon Lingerie**

A GIFT THAT WILL CAUSE MUCH JOY AT CHRISTMAS

WHAT a gift buying opportunity! Satin Pantie Sets, Panties in glamorous satin or soft crepe de Chine lavishly trimmed with lace; also Rayon Taffeta and Velva Suede Slips, Rayon Bloomer and Vest Sets, Rayon Gowns and Pyjamas. Dainty pastel shades. Small, medium, big. Check your Christmas gift list and buy in quantity. Many wrapped in attractive gift boxes.

**97c**

**GIFT NOVELTIES FROM OUR**

**Art Needlework Section**

Embroidery Sets for children. Neatly boxed. **25c**

French Knitting Sets for children. **25c**

Pyjama Cases in unique styles. **98c**

Smart French Dolls, sweetly perfumed, cellophane wrapped. Pierrot, Bell Boy, Ballet Girl, Scottie, Dutch Girl. **75c and 98c**

French Doll Pin Cushions in lovely shades. **75c and 1.25**

Art Needlework, Second Floor, "The Bay"

**GOOD-LOOKING—GOOD-FITTING**

**Gabardine Raincoats**

A serviceable Christmas gift that many women will be delighted to receive! Swanky sport style belted models. Two-way collar shine. Fawn pockets. Can be worn rain or dry. Navy and navy only. **10.95**

**Velveteen Blouse Jackets**

Trim tailored styles with self belts and covered buckles. Pockets, tailored collars, novelty buttons. Brown, green, navy or black. Sizes 14 to 20. **7.95**

**WELL-CUT AND FITTED SKIRTS**

Fine wool faille, checks and heavy tweed coatings. Pleats and pockets. Green, sand, blue or brown plaids and mixtures. Sizes 14 to 40. **3.95 and 4.95**

Second Floor, "The Bay"

**It's Christmas Time at "The Bay"**

**DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS**

**TREATMENT FOR BACKACHE RHEUMATISM BLADDER TROUBLES NEURALGIA AND THE PAIN**

**I think there's a man in the story.**

Carol laughed. "Of course, there isn't."

"Well," answered the other, "when a girl suddenly is overcome with the desire to be beautiful, to dress like a Paris model, to lead her own life, she is usually jerked into it by waking up to the fact that she wants to appear beautiful to some man. Incidentally, that's not an original idea on my part. Isn't it true?"

"No," Carol answered in a low voice as she was telling herself as well as her cousin even as she remembered the exact moment at that dinner party when she had wanted to be different.

"Well," Kathy dismissed it, "you'll find out soon. The world is full of them and one man is pretty much like another."

"Kathy, how can you say that? It came involuntarily from Carol."

"Oh, you mean don't I find Owen unlike the others?" Kathy thought for a moment. "Yes, I do. Unfortunately, I'm terribly fond of him, but Owen is—well, he isn't exciting. I always know, exactly what he is going to say and do. I've always had lots of beaux and I suppose that's spoiled me."

"If you really care about him, you'll forget the others when you are married to him," Carol pleaded for Owen.

Kathy sighed. "Yes, I suppose I will. I think I'll have a December

**VALUES TO MAKE CHRISTMAS GIVING EASY**  
THE TIME IS GETTING SHORT—ONLY 19 MORE SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

The day of days will soon be here—Christmas—and so short a time left to do shopping. The wise shopper is down town these days, filling her gift list . . . don't YOU leave it until the last minute when the stores are so crowded and selection is not so easy.

SHOP NOW—AVOID THE RUSH—CARRY SMALL PARCELS

HOMEMAKERS WILL APPRECIATE THESE

From Our **FURNITURE Gift Section**

**SOLID WALNUT CABINET SMOKERS** Beautifully finished and metal lined. Complete with ash tray, etc. **10.00**

**CABINET SMOKER STANDS** In walnut-finish hardwood. A smart, inexpensive gift. Complete. **2.95**

**NESTS OF TABLES IN SOLID WALNUT** Well-finished, daintily designed little Tables that have so many uses. Sets of 3. **13.75**

**WALNUT COFFEE TABLES** Newest designs . . . solid walnut base and finest quality matched butt walnut top. **11.50**

**44-INCH CEDAR CHESTS** A grand gift for the bride-to-be! Of best Lane construction and finish. Other models at **\$16.95** and **\$19.75**

**LAMP TABLES** Solid carved walnut base and finely grained matched butt tops. **19.50**

**OCCASIONAL CHAIRS** For living-room. Handy for bridge or as an extra arm chair. She'll be pleased with this gift! **12.75**

**WALNUT BOOKCASES** Just think of having a smart Bookcase to keep your favorite books in! Leaded glass door . . . well rubbed finish. **19.75**

**WALNUT FERNERIES** 30 inches long. Neatly designed and with metal lining. Each. **12.75**

**SOLID WALNUT JARDINIÈRE STANDS** 17 inches high. An attractive and practical gift. Fourth Floor, "The Bay" **1.50**

**FOR EFFICIENCY—COMFORT—ECONOMY**

**Evur-Ready Oil Burners**

The Modern Way for Cooking and Heating

With this ideal type of burner you don't have to worry about your oven heat; the steady heat enables you to bake cakes and pies easily. Provides plenty of hot water at all times and gives heat to the room. Stove or Diesel oil can be used. Installed complete for

**\$55**

25 Gallons Stove Oil FREE

Third Floor, "The Bay"

**Notions**

**SWING PICTURE FRAMES** Easel type. A picture of yourself in one of these will make a pleasing gift. **39c**

**CHILDREN'S TOY BANKS** Many styles. With lock and key. Price. **15c and 39c**

**LAMP SHADES** Attractive Parchment Shades in a new selection of colors. Priced at **15c to 29c**

**VELVET HANGERS** Assorted colors. Four in a cellophane packet for **45c**

**SUEDINE CUSHIONS** Plumply filled. Assorted colored block designs. **69c**

**SEWING CASES** Compact kit with scissors, thread, needles, etc. **50c**

**RAYON UNDIES** Lace or motif trimmed. Pink, tea rose, peach. **29c**

**Stationery**

**COLORFUL PICTURES** Neatly framed. In a good selection. **59c**

**BOXED STATIONERY** Ripple, vellum or linen finish. Good quality. Box. **50c**

**MOIRE BRIDGE CLOTHS** Several good colors from which to choose. Elastic at corners. **1.39**

Street Floor, "The Bay"

**NOVELTY-GIFT SECTION**

**STREET FLOOR**

In this section you will be able to select many gifts! Everything for the bridge fan . . . large selection of imported novelties and hand-made pottery.

**NOVELTY BOOK ENDS** Variety of designs. A perfect gift for the book lover. **89c**

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**Was Ten Days at Bottom of Well**

**NORTH WILKESBORO, N.C.** Dec. 2 (AP)—Muttering ominously Robert Dyson, forty-two, lay in a hospital here today as physicians sought to save him from the effects of a ten-day stay at the bottom of an abandoned well. Details of his imprisonment, during which he lost thirty pounds, awaited his recovery.

**DANDRUFF CLEAN YOUR SCALP by Rubbing in MINARD'S "KING OF PAIN" LINIMENT**







# At the Theatres

## COMEDY-DRAMA IS NOW AT DOMINION

"Three Kids and a Queen" Stars May Robson in Her Most Human Portrayal

All the excitement attending the arrival of a great trans-Atlantic liner at its pier in New York forms the background of early scenes in "Three Kids and a Queen," the Universal comedy-drama now showing on the screen of the Dominion Theatre, with May Robson in the starring role.

Crowds of passengers line the rail as the great ship is warped into its pier, while other hundreds in the covered dock sheds excitedly greet their arriving friends. Reporters and news photographers scurry about seeking points of vantage. An electric excitement fills the air as the gangplank is placed in position, for a personage of unusual importance is arriving.

First off the ship, walking with

stately tread, is a dignified cocker spaniel named Aubrey, the pampered pet of Mary Jane Baxter, eccentric, crabbed old maid who is recognized as the wealthiest woman in the world. Miss Baxter herself, in the person of May Robson, follows immediately behind, to be pounced upon at once by the assembled newspaper representatives. But the irascible old lady, refusing even to lift her veil, flounces off to her carriage in the company of her lawyer and her servant-companion, to be driven hurriedly to her luxurious home on Fifth Avenue.

Thus begins a story filled with delightful humor and thrilling events, presenting the remarkable Miss Robson in the most humanly appealing characterization of her long career.

PLAYHOUSE Elaborate fur pieces among the high notes of the \$50,000 wardrobe which Loretta Young wears in her starring role in Paramount's "Shanghai," which is now at the Playhouse Theatre. They were designed by Richard Jaekel, noted Fifth Avenue furrier.

COLUMBIA Jean Arthur, blonde Columbia contract player, enacts the only important feminine role in "The Whole Town's Talking," the exciting comedy-drama produced by Columbia Studios and starring Edward G. Robinson, which is now at the Co-

### AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen  
Capitol—Fredric March in "The Dark Angel."  
Columbia—"The Whole Town's Talking," starring Edward G. Robinson.  
Dominion—May Robson in "Three Kids and a Queen."  
Little Orpheum—"Count of Monte Cristo," with Robert Donat.  
Playhouse—"Shanghai," starring Charles Boyer.

### GOOD CAST APPEARING IN STRAUS' OPERETTA

The cast for the forthcoming production of "The Chocolate Soldier" is indeed a good one. The leading roles will be handled by a group of the city's best-known and most-experienced singers and actors. In addition to these, there are one or two newcomers to this field.

The operetta will be presented at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, December 5, 6 and 7. It will be the Victoria Civic Opera Society's second production and will be presented under the direction of Basil Horsfall.

Doreen Wilson, one of Victoria's most accomplished singers and actors, will have the leading feminine role of Nadina. Marjery Benson will sing Maucha and Kathleen Barraclough will be Aurelia. Fraser Lester has been cast as Bumeril and Dudley Wickett as Alexius. James Mathewson will be Colonel Casimir Popoff and Clifford Prescott will sing Massakroff.

"The Chocolate Soldier," the music by Oscar Straus, is in three acts. The scene is near the Dragoon Pass of Bulgaria and the time 1885. Serbia and Bulgaria are at war, so that the plot is an interesting one and follows closely the incidents, situations and structure of the original story, written by George Bernard Shaw as "Arms and the Man."

## HAMPER FUND IS ORGANIZED

Saanich Welfare Association Completes Arrangements For Campaign

At a recent meeting of the Saanich Welfare Association, all arrangements were made for a drive for funds.

On Friday, December 6, the Hudson's Bay Company will sponsor a radio broadcast, and the Beaver Olee Club will provide the programme.

Saturday, December 14, the David Spencer Company, Ltd., will sponsor the broadcast, and Spencer's Choir will provide the programme.

Saturday, December 21, British-American Paint Company will sponsor the broadcast, and the programme will be given by the Garden City United Church Choir.

Monday, December 23, the broadcast will be personally sponsored by the Saanich reeve and councillors, and the Cloverdale School Choir will give the programme.

Mr. Frank H. Partridge will be in charge of the microphone and will make the appeals and all announcements.

### 500 HAMPERS

The Saanich Welfare Association is hoping during this drive to raise sufficient funds, not only to provide some 500 hampers which will be needed, but funds to carry on its welfare work next year.

The welfare helped some 514 families in Saanich, with over 800 children, from July, 1934, to July, 1935, and know from this experience that there are more needy persons in Saanich who badly need a helping hand, than in any part of the Greater Victoria district, and trust that a generous response will be made to its appeal.

The Gyro Club of Victoria is providing Christmas hampers for Victoria, Esquimalt and Oak Bay, but cannot include Saanich, as the task

would be too great at the present time. Headquarters have been opened at the Scott Building, 2663 Douglas Street (kindly loaned by Mrs. Scott), and any contributions or goods may be left there, or telephone Saanich Welfare or Saanich Municipal Hall and same will be called for.

## AID EMPLOYMENT IN RUSH SEASON

Overtime Permits or Extra Help Alternatives State Officials of Employment Service

"During the month of December many employers, and particularly those engaged in the Christmas trade, will find it necessary to either apply to the Board of Industrial Relations for permission to work employees overtime or employ extra help," was the forecast yesterday of the local superintendent of the Employment Service of Canada. He said:

"An important aspect is the part that the purchasing public can play in helping employers to regulate the hours of work of their employees.

"During the winter season, fuel distribution constitutes a problem which has heretofore been met by working truck drivers and helpers long hours. Hours of work for this type of employee have been limited by Government regulation and it is pointed out that customers can greatly assist fuel merchants to keep the hours of work of their drivers within the regulation limit by ordering fuel supplies as far as possible in advance of immediate requirements.

### DEPLORE TENDENCY

"Our belief, based on an extensive experience with the unemployment situation, is that there is too great a tendency to work regular employees overtime rather than spread the extra hours of employment among the competent people who are relying on holiday season work to enable them to be self-sustaining. "An excellent opportunity is presented to help some less fortunate

**Tomorrow (WEDNESDAY) FOR 3 DAYS ONLY**

HER GAYEST GRANDEST ROLE!  
As the girl of beauty and daring whose motto was "I Live My Life."

**JOAN CRAWFORD**  
IN "I LIVE MY LIFE"  
ALINE MacMAHON BRIAN AHERNE FRANK MORGAN

THERE'S UTTER FASCINATION IN EVERY LAUGH. LADEN, HEART-POUNDED SCENE!  
A romance of today at its thrilling peak... the romance of Kay Bentley, who had all the good things of life!

**CAPITOL**

**ENDS TODAY**  
FREDRIC MARCH  
MERLE OBERON  
HERBERT MARSHALL  
IN  
"The Dark Angel"  
PLUS  
TODD-KELLY  
COMES  
DAILY 12-2-20

Authentic FEATURE  
Nurses in the grip of fate!  
Rear Admiral  
**RICHARD E. BYRD'S**  
Second Great Antarctic Expedition into  
"LITTLE AMERICA"  
Capital of the Unknown—  
Fifty Minutes of Thrills  
AT 12:15, 8:30, 9:45  
8-17

**A NEW ZEST with CHEESE**  
Cheese of any kind—no matter in what way it is served—takes on a new deliciousness when eaten or prepared with—

**Lea & Perrins SAUCE**  
THE ADDED TOUCH THAT MEANS SO MUCH

## DEPOSITS GAIN; PROFITS LOWER

Proportion of Quick Assets Of Bank of Montreal Unusually Large

MONTREAL, Dec. 2. — Total assets of the Bank of Montreal amount to \$792,800,000, compared with \$759,100,000 a year ago, Jackson Dods, joint general manager, announced today in presenting the bank's 118th annual balance sheet. W. A. Bog is associate general manager.

Quick assets, including cash, total \$533,400,000, representing 74.8 per cent of all liabilities to the public. Mr. Dods said the percentage was higher than necessary for normal requirements and was the result of the reduced demand for loans for commercial purposes. Cash holdings and balance in the Bank of Canada at \$82,000,000 represent 11.50 per cent of all liabilities to the public.

### DEPOSITS ARE LARGER

Deposits by the public amount to \$641,300,000, an increase of \$65,800,000.

Notes in the bank in circulation amount to \$30,000,000, as against \$35,300,000 a year ago, a total which ran close to the maximum limit of \$36,000,000 permissible after the opening of the Bank of Canada. On January 1, 1936, the authorized limit will be reduced to \$34,200,000.

Investments, not exceeding market value, amount to \$361,900,000, an increase of \$43,900,000 over last year. Current loans and discounts in Canada and loans to provincial governments, municipalities and school districts amount to \$223,900,000, a decrease of \$6,800,000.

### GOVERNMENT DEPOSITS

The Dominion Government's deposits at \$9,900,000 show a decrease of \$26,900,000, and provincial government deposits at \$15,100,000, an increase of \$5,200,000.

Profits, after deducting Dominion and provincial government taxes, amount to \$3,065,212, compared with \$3,204,369 in 1934, a decrease of \$139,000, over half of which is due to the increase in Dominion and provincial taxes, Mr. Dods said.

## FOUND GUILTY OF MISTREATING DOG

William Barnes Fined \$50 in Esquimalt Police Court by Magistrate George Jay

On a charge of ill-treating a dog at Work Point Barracks on November 18, William Barnes was found guilty by Magistrate George Jay in Esquimalt police court, yesterday, and was fined \$50 or ten days in default of payment.

Evidence showed the accused had placed a small dog, which had been annoying footballers at play at the barracks, in a receptacle used to hold ashes. John Walker, 622 Pine Street, told the court he heard the dog barking a few minutes after it had been confined in the receptacle and managed after a time to lift it out. The animal, he said, was covered with ashes and was unconscious. It was then carried by Mrs. Joan White, Work Point Barracks, to the military hospital, where Sergeant Newland Phillips chloroformed it, after an examination.

Mr. Barnes declared he had no intention of mistreating the dog, as he had befriended it on several occasions. The animal had strayed into the barracks several days before, he said. It was his intention to confine it for ten minutes only, until the finish of the game. He said he had not noticed ashes in the receptacle at the time.

Other evidence indicated the dog had stifled up some ashes in the bin and thereby asphyxiated itself.

## LIONS DEFEAT CALGARY, 4-2

Vancouver Hockey Club Rallies to Gain Four-to-Two Victory Over Tigers

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2. — Vancouver Lions, minus the services of Tip O'Neill, crack winger, out of the game for two weeks with a leg injury, came from behind in the last two periods to defeat Calgary Tigers, 4-2, here tonight and again climb to the top rung of the Northwestern Hockey League standings.

The game was enlivened by a last-period fist fight between Gordon

## DOMINION

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The C.G.P. Unemployed Council will meet in the Parish Hall, Esquimalt, tomorrow at 8 p.m.

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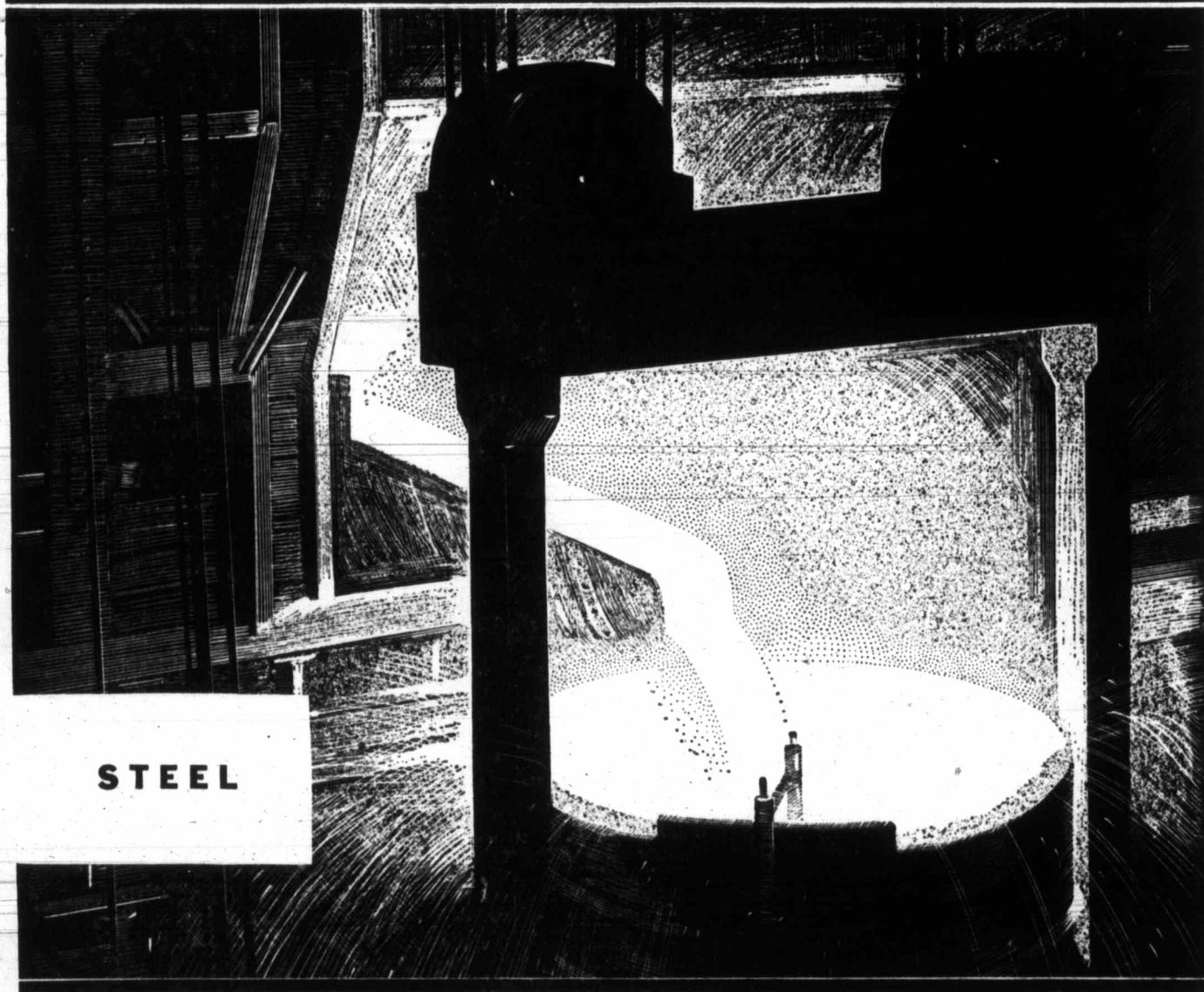
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Since 1885, when man first discovered that steel is stronger and tougher when it contains a percentage of Nickel, the demand for Nickel in steel production has steadily increased. And when an ample supply of Nickel was assured from the Canadian mines at Sudbury, this demand assumed still greater proportions. Today Nickel steels constitute the greatest single market for Canadian Nickel.

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# DE COSTA AND CROWE PLACED REP SOCCER XI

## Favorites Advance In Opening Round Of City Net Meet

Gain Straight-Set Victories in Annual Championship Tournament at the Willows Club Courts  
—Defending Champion in Easy Victory  
—Play Will Continue Tonight

With favorites stroking their way to victory in straight sets, play opened yesterday evening in the city badminton championships on the Willows Badminton Club courts, Main Building, Willows Exhibition Grounds. In the open events only three matches went to extra sets. Play will continue this evening at 7:30 o'clock with twenty-one matches listed. The tournament will conclude on Friday with the playing of the finals in all divisions.

Des Bleasdale, present champion, hurled the first opponent in his drive to retain his championship when he defeated H. Francis in straight sets. The scores were 15-8, 15-11. Ross "Bud" Hocking, Victoria Garrison Club champion, eliminated H. Bleasdale, a brother of the present titleholder, in another straight-set fixture with scores of 15-9, 15-11.

**EASY VICTORY**  
George Lane, Victoria Club titleholder and promising young player, displayed good form in his fixture against M. McFarlane and won by the one-sided scores of 15-2, 15-1. In the only extra set in the men's singles, Don Davis, Willows Club netter, defeated H. N. Dutcher, 11-5, 15-12, 15-12.

Peggy MacDonald, local netter, was forced to three sets before eliminating P. Sluggitt, young Brentwood player. The scores were 6-11, 11-5, 11-8.

M. Sluggitt, holder of the women's doubles title with Noni Woodward, advanced to the second round of the singles by defeating Stella Walsh, 11-0, 11-1.

With Miss Jean Campbell, last season's champion, not on hand to defend her laurels, a new queen of the city badminton circles will be crowned before the tournament reaches its conclusion.

### THE RESULTS

#### MEN'S OPEN SINGLES

Des Bleasdale defeated H. Francis, 15-8, 15-11.  
E. T. Simmons defeated J. Moore, 15-1, 15-5.  
P. Hocking defeated H. Bleasdale, 15-9, 15-11.

D. Waddell defeated Pat Hope, 15-9, 15-10.  
P. Colclough defeated H. Hurdle, 15-9, 15-12.  
D. Davis defeated H. N. Dutcher, 11-5, 15-12, 15-8.

C. Lane defeated M. McFarlane, 15-2, 15-12.  
**WOMEN'S OPEN SINGLES**  
Jean Waddell defeated P. Charlewood by default.

Mrs. Mangin defeated B. Murdoch, 13-10, 11-7.  
Peggy MacDonald defeated P. Sluggitt, 6-11, 11-5, 11-8.  
M. Sluggitt defeated Stella Walsh, 11-0, 11-1.

**MEN'S OPEN DOUBLES**  
H. Francis and H. N. Dutcher defeated Flett and Macfarlane by default.

**WOMEN'S OPEN DOUBLES**  
Mrs. Tomalin and Helen Nicholson defeated E. Ruggles and P. Charlewood by default.

M. Murdoch and O. Gilman defeated Pat Radford and Peggy MacDonald, 15-4, 15-18, 15-5.  
Mildred Phillips and Marjorie Hughes defeated Misses B. Garrard and Beaumont, 15-3, 15-7.

**MIXED OPEN DOUBLES**  
Miss M. Sluggitt and C. Douglas defeated Jean and D. Waddell, 15-8, 15-3.

Miss M. Hughes and Bagley defeated Miss D. Morley and Simmons, 15-12, 15-11.

Miss D. Swayne and Henderson defeated Miss M. Warnock and Flett, 15-5, 15-7.

**MEN'S HANDICAP DOUBLES**  
Pat Hope and J. Burridge, minus 4, defeated H. Ford and M. MacDonald, plus 2, 15-10, 15-12.

A. D. King and W. Osborne, plus 8, defeated I. MacConn and G. McClure, plus 8, 15-3, 15-2.

B. R. Ker and R. E. A. Diespecker, plus 5, defeated D. Angus and D. McClure, plus 3, 15-13, 15-7.

R. Bagley and P. Colclough, minus 7 one hand, defeated W. Merston and J. Hutchinson, plus 2, 15-13, 15-14.

R. Heywood and D. Bleasdale, minus 10, defeated Col. Harris and D. Philbrick, minus 2, 9-15, 15-9, 15-7.

J. Hall and L. Henderson, scratch, defeated Burdon-Murphy and H. Farquhar, plus 5, 15-11, 15-11.

V. Smith and Hoadley, plus 4, defeated S. Skilling and H. Mearns, plus 2, 12-15, 15-6, 15-4.

**WOMEN'S HANDICAP DOUBLES**  
Misses M. Barber-Starkey and M. Beedham, plus 6, defeated Mrs. Tomalin and Miss H. Nicholson, minus 10, 15-8, 15-5.

Misses K. Williams and B. Nelson, scratch, defeated Misses W. and E. Henderson, plus 10, 15-13, 15-10.

Misses D. Swayne and K. Hall, minus 5, defeated Misses Peggy Jackson and G. McCall, minus 4, 15-14, 15-5.

**MIXED HANDICAP DOUBLES**  
Miss K. Williams and J. Phillips, minus 5, defeated Miss F. Oates and L. Henderson, minus 5, 15-11, 15-13.

Mr. and Mrs. Green, plus 4, defeated Miss M. Fraser and G. McClure, plus 6, 15-13, 15-4.

Miss M. Phillips and J. P. Phillips, minus 8, defeated Miss K.

## "REP" PLAYERS WILL CLASH IN TRIAL FIXTURES

McKeech Cup Rugby Candidates to Meet Saturday At Macdonald Park

With the net proceeds going to augment the hospital fund of the Victoria Rugby Union, the thirty candidates named by the selection committee of the union as probables for the McKeech Cup fifteen, will go on parade Saturday afternoon at Macdonald Park in a trial match. The kick-off is set for 2:45 o'clock.

Billed as the only senior fixture on Saturday's oval ball programme, the game is expected to draw a large number of followers to the enclosure, anxious to get a glimpse of Victoria's "rep" material for the forthcoming fixtures with Vancouver and Varsity fifteens.

The boys will get their first warm-up on Thursday evening at Macdonald Park when they turn out for their initial workout under the eyes of the members of the committee. The training session is scheduled to get under way at 7:30 o'clock and all players named by the committee are asked to be on hand.

### INTERMEDIATE GAMES

Two intermediate League matches are carded Saturday, with the undefeated Wanderers "Whites" battling the Canadian Scottish at Oak Bay Park and the 5th Brigade, also undefeated this season, opposing the Wanderers "Blues" at Macdonald Park, lower field. Both matches will commence at 2:45 o'clock.

At the request of the University School Old Boys' Association, the Victoria Rugby Union, at its meeting yesterday evening in The Colonist board room, set aside Saturday, January 11, as the date for a challenge match between the "old boys" and a picked fifteen from the local union.

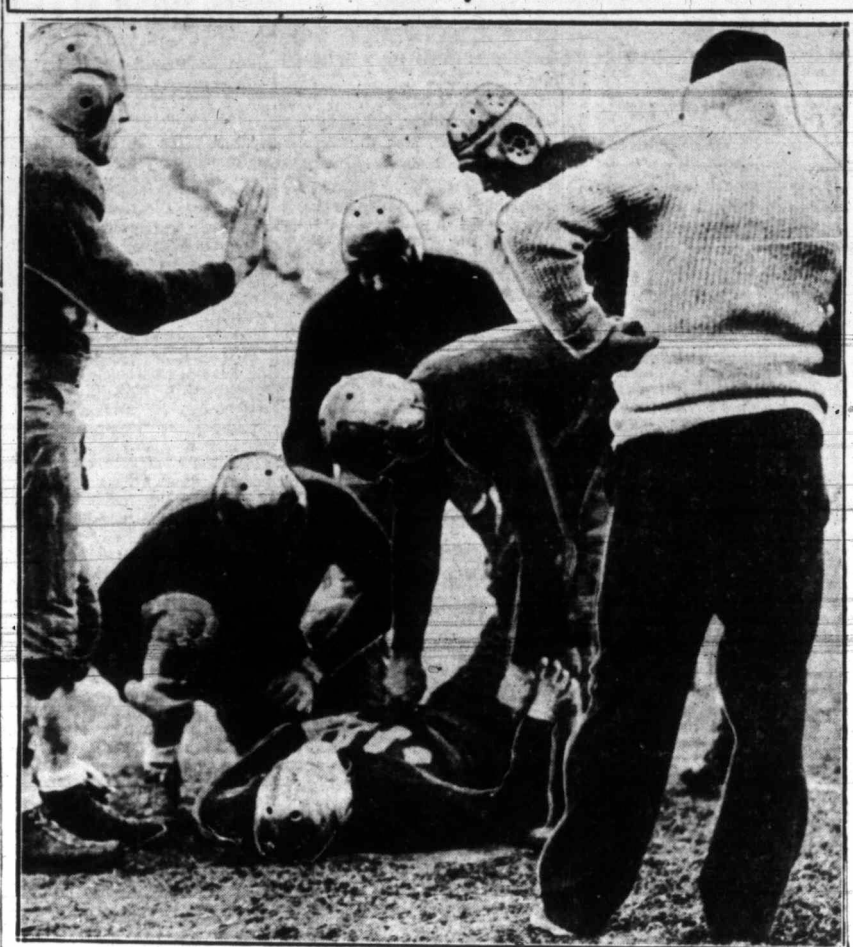
Frank Skillings, a former "rep" player, told the members of the Victoria Rugby Union that the University School Old Boys' Association has nine former Victoria McKeech Cup players in its membership and, as they are anxious to do something to help the oval ball game here, the challenge match was suggested.

The fixture will be played at Macdonald Park and will be the only senior match of the day, as Victoria's first fifteen will be on the Mainland playing Varsity in a McKeech Cup match.

### NAVY MAY TRAVEL

If satisfactory financial arrangements can be made, Navy senior "B" champions, will go to Vancouver to play the Mainland team for the Province Cup, symbolic of the British Columbia championship, and at present held by the Garrison.

## Gridder Felled by Hard Tackle



There were enough man-to-man skirmishes in the Sarnia-Balmy Beach O.R.F.U. senior final to produce the usual number of "time-outs" with trainers and their assistants racing across the field to render first aid. The Beachites were damaged more than their formidable rivals, with Murchie, Lipsett, Porter, Hennessy, Munro and Taylor receiving the smelling salts on more than one occasion. The cameraman caught a lull in play, the above cut showing Jimmie Murchie on the ground after he had been felled by a hard tackle on a beach line play. Beach players are clustered around the stricken Murchie, showing from left to right, Irwin, Reid, Munro, Lipsett and Hempey. Referee Hal DeGruchy, with his big white sweater coat, is on the end, while the Sarnia player looking on with 25 on his sweater is Parsons, middle-wing ace. Sarnia beat Beaches in the two-game round 8-0 and 9-1.

## Black Hawks and Boston Capture Hockey Fixtures

Chicago Blanks Fast-Slipping Montreal Canadiens, 1-0—Eddie Ouellette Nets Lone Goal in Second Period—Bruins Come to Life to Beat Rangers, 2-0—Karakas Stars

By A. E. FULFORD  
Canadian Press Staff Writer.

Swiftly sliding toward a cellar spot, Montreal Canadiens surveyed their National Hockey League losses today and found little to bloom in the picture.

If Manager Sullo Mantha doesn't decide to reinforce it will be only because he believes the return to the game of Irvin Frew and Pete Lepine will give Habitués the strength they need.

Saturday night Canadiens lost the first of a two-game series with the first lacking any team has had to absorb this season as Toronto Leafs beat them, 8-3, and then went on to Chicago Sunday to be shut out, 1-0, by Black Hawks. Coupled with New York Americans' 2-1 win from Boston on Saturday, the double defeat left the Montrealers only two points up on the Amerks.

Boston, only other team to play twice over the week-end, came out of the tough schedule spot in better shape, winning, 2-0, from New York Rangers in Boston on Sunday night, after dropping the game to Amerks.

The world's champion Montreal Maroons took second place in the Canadian section from Habitués by defeating Detroit, 3-2, at Montreal on Saturday.

Nick Metz and Joe Primeau, with two each, led the parade of Toronto goal getters, and Pep Kelly, Buzz Boli, Bill Thoms and Harvey Jackson brought up the rear with a marker each. George Mondou fired two of Canadiens' goals past George Hainsworth and Jack McGill got the other.

Mantha's team put up a better fight at Chicago, but were never able to beat young Mike Karakas, still subbing for Lorne Chabot as Chicago's goalie. Eddie Ouellette got the only goal of the game early in the second period.

It looked like Detroit would carry Maroons into overtime in the game at Montreal on Saturday until Maroons ran in two quick goals late in the final period. Bob Gracie and Jimmy Ward counting.

Only 7,500 persons saw Americans score their second win of the season at New York on Saturday. Passing well, Americans got goals through Eddie Wiseman and Harry Oliver in the first two periods and then threw up their defences. Red Beattie scored Bruins' marker to tie the score in the first period.

Bruins' losing streak had reached three games when they came home Sunday to meet Rangers in the first Sunday National League game in the final period. They won with Bill Cowley's second period marker and Cooney Wieland's score in the third.

**EPSOM DOWNS**  
EPSOM-DOWNS, Texas, Dec. 2—Results here today follow:  
First Race—Five and one-half furlongs: 1. See (Beck) (Johnson) \$114.30 12.70 15.50 Kate Green (Patterson) \$220 2.50 Elizabeth T. (Falcon) \$620

Time, 1:11.1. Also ran: Joan MacKay, Madam, Tusand, Star of Eve II, Here's Luck, No Santa, Heady, Donna Marza, Pioneer, Little Van, 3.  
Second Race—Four and one-half furlongs: 1. Indiana (Lake) \$18.20 14.20 15.50 Al (Lake) \$30 2.50 Rex Deer (Lake) \$470

Time, 1:06.4. Also ran: Willie Loez, Club Soda, Charmine, Miss, Bride's Delight, Tip Topper, Weeks, Seventh Heaven, Kai Hart.  
Third Race—Six furlongs: 1. Rare Ben (Moore) \$113.50 17.20 14.60 Overalls (Karakas) \$400 2.70 Clarence (Turk) \$250

Time, 1:13. Also ran: Fair Image, Heavy Sugar, Red Garter, Rodina, Her Hero, Inwood, Miroslav, Declaration, Morning City.  
Fourth Race—One mile: 1. Thistle Nite (Karakas) \$112.90 15.10 14.40 Chance (Deering) \$270 2.50 Special Favor (Sena) \$590

Time, 1:43.2. Also ran: Eva R., Sweet Thine, Parasol, Star, Station Belle, Raze, Wood, Odessa Star, Hustling Time.  
Fifth Race—One mile: 1. Miss Diavolo (McCarthy) \$112.90 15.60 14.50 Hush Omer (Turk) \$410 3.40 Hush Omer (Turk) \$500

Time, 1:40.2. Also ran: Honored Star, Mayotte, Evil Eye, Sam Port, Wirth Race—One mile: 1. Wirth (Hooper) \$124.00 17.00 11.30 Black Rose (F. A. Smith) \$420 3.00

## ESQUIMALT GOALIE AND SAANICH HALF-BACK GIVEN BERTHS

Brilliant Net Minder of Dockers Returning to Inter-City Competition Saturday Against St. Saviours—Crowe Replaces Barnes—Price Back at Centre Position

Two familiar faces will be seen in uniform Saturday afternoon when Victoria United, who are making a strong bid for the championship, this season, tackles St. Saviours, of Vancouver, in a regular scheduled fixture in the Inter-City Football League at the Royal Athletic Park at 2:30 o'clock. Louis De Costa, "sensational" goalie of Esquimalt, will return to "rep" duty for the first time this season, after being out of the game for a long period, due to sickness; and Joe Crowe, aggressive member of Saanich Thistles, will be at centre half in place of Roy Barnes, who left the city last week.

Outside of these two changes, the United eleven is the same as started against Nanaimo in the last match here. Freddie Price will open at the centre position again. Against the miners Price played during the first half and then was yanked in favor of Dick Miller, young Esquimalt centre. Officers at their meeting last night in The Colonist board room, decided to start Price in this important berth, but if he doesn't click with the rest of the line, John Watt, veteran player now with Victoria West, will be ready to replace him.

### LOCAL SQUAD

In front of De Costa will be Sammy Essler (Thistles) at right back and Freddie Gibbons (Victoria City) at left. Ronnie Williams (Thistles), Joe Crowe (Thistles) and Bill Boyd (Esquimalt) will start on the half line. Gordie Bell (Victoria West) and "Scotty" Stewart (Esquimalt) will form the right wing combination. Price (Thistles) will be in the pivot position, flanked by Noel Mounan (West) and George Payne (City) at inside and outside left, respectively. On the substitute list is Joe Watt (Esquimalt), Bob Pearce (City) and John Watt (Victoria West). Ed Whyte will manage the club and Jimmy Carmichael, of the Thistles, will act as trainer.

St. Saviours will be making their first appearance of the inter-city campaign in the city, and therefore the Mainlanders should attract a large crowd to the enclosure. Albury is slated for goal-tending work for the Saints. Hargreaves and Ingram, two strong defenders, will work on the rear flank, and West, one of the smartest halves in the province, Camp and Hunter will form the middle line. Moffat, a clever winger, will be on the right lane, with Gardiner on the inside position and McDermid at centre. Archie Purss, curly-headed Victoria youngster, who played with the Wests last season, will probably start at inside left, and Ernie Bradbury will play left wing. Heath and Ross will travel with the club as reserves.

## BRENTWOOD IN SHUTTLE WIN

Defeat Willows Badminton Club 12-4 in Second Division League Match

Getting away to a good start by making a clean sweep in the women's doubles, visiting Brentwood shuttlers defeated the Willows Badminton Club, 12-4, in a Lower Vancouver Island Badminton League, Second Division, fixture, played on the latter's courts.

Scores, with the Willows players first named, follow:  
**WOMEN'S DOUBLES**  
Misses I. Benson and P. Radford lost to Miss Murdoch and Miss Gilman, 7-15, 6-15.

Misses I. Benson and P. Radford lost to Miss Garrard and Miss Beaumont, 8-15, 13-18.

Misses P. Jackson and P. MacDonald lost to Miss Garrard and Miss Beaumont, 11-15, 6-15.

Misses P. Jackson and P. MacDonald lost to Miss Murdoch and Miss Gilman, 15-10, 11-15, 17-18.

**MEN'S DOUBLES**  
Pithketley and Phillips won from Tolson and Godwin, 7-15, 15-11, 15-11.

Pithketley and Phillips won from Watt and Woodward, 15-9, 17-14.

Harris and Jones lost to Watt and Woodward, 15-4, 10-15, 14-17.

Harris and Jones lost to Tolson and Godwin, 13-15, 16-18.

**MIXED DOUBLES**  
Miss Benson and Phillips lost to Miss Murdoch and Tolson, 15-6, 11-15, 11-15.

Miss Benson and Phillips lost to Miss Gilman and Godwin, 10-15, 15-18, 3-15.

Miss Jackson and Pithketley won from Miss Gilman and Godwin, 15-2, 15-12.

Miss Jackson and Pithketley lost to Miss Murdoch and Tolson, 15-3, 11-15, 9-15.

Miss MacDonald and Harris lost by default to Miss Beaumont and Watt.

Miss MacDonald and Harris won from Miss Garrard and Woodward, 8-15, 15-8, 15-12.

Miss Radford and Jones lost by default to Miss Garrard and Woodward.

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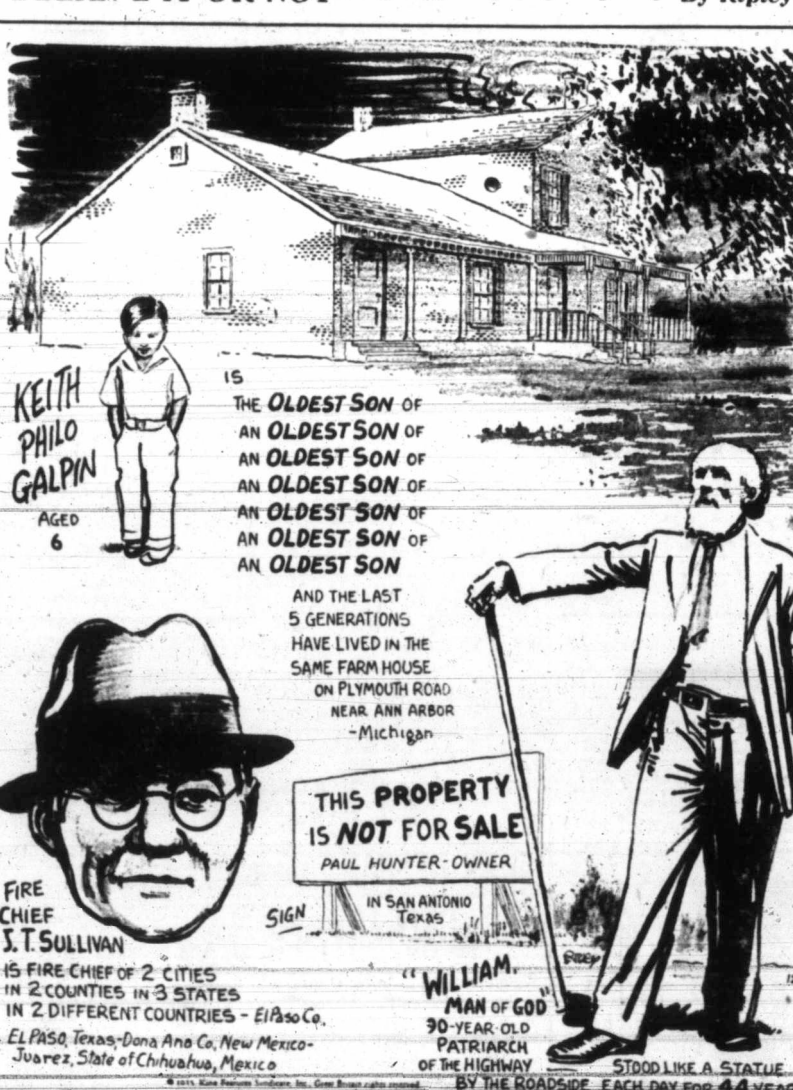
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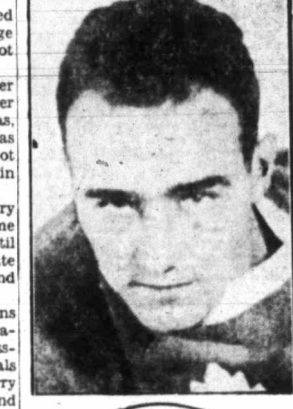


**EXPLANATION FOR SUNDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON**  
The Easiest Job in the World—King Charles X. of France, who succeeded his brother on the throne of France in 1824, cracked only a single joke in his life. At the suggestion of his courtiers, he proceeded to appoint a special official whose sole duty it would be to record all the "bon mots" uttered by the King. This office of "Registateur general des bon-mots royaux" was given to Alexandre Marquis de Pezay. A salary of 10,000 francs per year was attached to this strange dignity. Pezay served from 1825 to 1830, until the King lost his throne. Throughout his term of office not a single royal joke was ever recorded by this curious registrar.

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## Remember When

(Twenty-Five Years Ago)

All Rugby players of the J.B.A.A. team are expected to be on hand at the club gym tonight at 8 o'clock to go through a routine practice in preparation for the big game against the Vancouver Argos that will be played at the University of Washington one week from the coming Saturday.

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Do you know what Maroon forward played four league games after turning pro. before he even practiced with his team? Next Hockey Sidelight tells you why.



# CONACHER AND THOMPSON LEADING N.H.L. SCORERS

## Toronto Ace Tops Canadian Section; Jackson Is Second

Leafs' Brilliant Sniper Has Two-Point Margin Over Teammate—Metz and Thoms Follow—McFayden Next to Thompson in American Division—Horner Leads in Penalties

MONTREAL, Dec. 2 (AP).—While the fight for individual honors in the National Hockey League scoring race centered around the first lines of Toronto Maple Leafs and Chicago Black Hawks, the second weekly statistics issued to-night by President Frank Calder showed the Canadian division of the league was outscoring the United States section by almost two to one.

Big Charlie Conacher, leading scorer of the last two seasons, was back on top of the whole league with six goals, five assists, eleven points. The Toronto right-winger had one more point than Paul Thompson, Chicago left-winger, who has 4-4-10. A rookie, Red Metz, of the Leafs, has the most goals, with eight.

The Canadian division sharpshooters have scored seventy-five goals in their games to date against thirty-nine by the United States division marksmen. High scoring by Toronto, with twenty goals in three games, accounted largely for the margin.

The crack Thompson-McFayden-Rommes line of Chicago led the United States division with 10-9-8 points, respectively. Harvey Jackson, left wing star, followed Conacher at top of the Canadian division, with five goals, four assists. Metz and Bill Thoms were next, to give Leafs the top four places.

Red Horner's forty minutes with the timekeepers easily headed the penalty parade. Marty Burke, Chicago, and Roger Jenkins, Boston, each had twenty for second place.

Official standings:

CANADIAN SECTION			
	W.	L.	P.
Toronto	5	3	1
Montreal	4	2	0
Canadiens	3	4	1
Americans	2	5	1

Scoring leaders:

CANADIAN SECTION			
	G.	A.	P.
Conacher, Toronto	6	5	11
H. Jackson, Toronto	5	4	9

Gaining seven victories in the mixed competition, Victoria Badminton Club registered a 11-5 win over the visiting Duncan squad in the Second Division of the Lower Island League on the local courts. Victoria broke even in the women's and men's doubles, but showed a vast superiority in the mixed matches.

Scores, with the Victoria team first mentioned, follow:

**WOMEN'S DOUBLES**

Misses A. Blankenbach and G. Sluggett lost to Misses G. Fraser and D. Owen, 11-15, 4-15.

Misses A. Blankenbach and G. Sluggett won from Misses F. Staples and D. Price, 15-12, 15-5.

Mrs. Goodwin and Miss N. Styan won from Miss F. Staples and D. Price, 15-7, 11-15, 15-11.

Mrs. Goodwin and Miss N. Styan lost to Misses E. Fraser and D. Owen, 4-15, 5-15.

**MEN'S DOUBLES**

D. Fish and C. Clarke lost to A. Dirom and R. Robertson, 15-12, 8-15, 13-18.

D. Fish and C. Clarke won from R. Bone and T. Staples, 17-14, 15-11.

N. Dutcher and R. Heywood won from R. Bone and T. Staples, 15-12, 15-12.

N. Dutcher and R. Heywood lost to A. Dirom and R. Robertson, 18-15, 11-15, 13-15.

**MIXED DOUBLES**

Mrs. Goodwin and D. Fish won from Miss E. Fraser and A. Dirom, 15-7, 15-11.

Mrs. Goodwin and D. Fish won from Miss D. Owen and R. Bone, 15-10, 8-15, 15-8.

Miss D. Blankenbach and N. Dutcher won from Miss D. Owen and R. Bone, 15-10, 8-15, 15-8.

Miss D. Blankenbach and N. Dutcher lost to Miss E. Fraser and A. Dirom, 9-15, 15-8, 8-15.

Miss N. Styan and C. Clarke won from Miss F. Staples and R. Robertson, 12-15, 18-13, 15-8.

Miss N. Styan and C. Clarke won from Miss D. Price and T. Staples, 17-15, 15-10.

Miss G. Sluggett and R. Heywood won from Miss D. Price and T. Staples, 15-12, 15-7.

Miss G. Sluggett and R. Heywood won from Miss F. Staples and R. Robertson, 18-14, 15-6.

**WINS FIGHT TITLE**

Private J. L. Rennie, 174 pounds, won the light-heavyweight boxing championship of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry Friday evening at the Fives Court, Work Point Barracks, and not Private D. I. Hatch as was erroneously stated yesterday.

## SCOTTISH XV IN 20-9 WIN

Local Ruggerers Defeat Cowichan Club on Home Ground Sunday

DUNCAN, Dec. 2.—The Canadian Scottish Rugby team from Victoria defeated the Cowichan Rugby team at the Sports Club grounds here Sunday afternoon by a score of 20 to 9. Scottish opened the scoring in the first half with a field goal. Forward rushes ended in two tries for Scottish, Campbell Forbes converting one. A three-quarter run produced another try, making the score 15-0. Collier went over from a line-out to score Cowichan's first try, the first half ending 15-3.

Cowichan had most of the play in the second half. Brilliant forward work sent D'Arcy over for a try, which Olmstead failed to convert. A useful three-quarter run saw Haines score Cowichan's third try, which also was not converted. Campbell Forbes scored again for Scottish, after a pretty run of thirty yards. He converted to end the scoring.

R. Romme refereed the game, and the Cowichan time-keeper was Collier. Smythe, Olmstead, Haines, D'Arcy, Lundie, Fletcher, Turgoose, Melin, Smith, Bigwood, Neary, Fitzgerald, Rellie and Hedley.

## WILLOWS BLANK DUNCAN NETTERS

Playing better badminton all of the way, Willows third division netters blanked visiting Duncan players, 16-0, in a Lower Island Badminton League match played on the local courts.

Scores, with the home players first named, follow:

**WOMEN'S DOUBLES**

Miss McAnally and Miss E. Ruggles won from Miss Homfray and Miss Smith, 15-4, 15-6.

Miss M. Barber-Starkey and Miss M. Beedham won from Miss Homfray and Miss Smith, 15-5, 15-9.

Miss M. Barber-Starkey and Miss M. Beedham won from Miss Owen and Miss Harris, 15-3, 15-7.

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**MEN'S DOUBLES**

W. H. Raikes and D. Philbrick won from G. Prevost and G. Appleby, 15-7, 15-13.

C. Jarvis-Read and C. M. Galt won from G. Prevost and G. Appleby, 15-5, 6-15, 18-13.

C. Jarvis-Read and C. M. Galt won from F. R. Gooding and A. Flett, 15-12, 15-8.

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**MIXED DOUBLES**

Miss McAnally and Raikes won from Miss Smith and Appleby, 15-12, 15-8.

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Miss Beedham and Jarvis-Read won from Miss Harris and Gooding, 15-11, 15-8.

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C.P.R. Express—G. E. Day, 574; P. E. Dutoit, 578; McDiarmid, 572; H. Wilkinson, 580; 154. Total, 2,354.

C.P.R. Express won two.

**Lawn Bowlers—A. H. Shetholt, 429; P. E. Taylor, 441; J. Belanger, 444; J. McMartin, 534; G. B. Dixon, 472; handicap, 174. Total, 2,734.**

Kernah's won three.

**Hudson's Bay—W. Wooster, 460; Barnes, 138; Best, 466; Stevenson, 464; Wiber, 500; Best, 277; handicap, 243. Total, 2,548.**

Kernah's—Donaldson, 482; Munton, 514; Pollard, 500; Edwards, 536; Peterson, 542; handicap, 177. Total, 2,731.

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## LOCAL CAGERS MUST FILE APPLICATIONS FOR AMATEUR CARDS

LOCAL basketball players are reminded that they must have their applications for amateur cards in the hands of the registrar, C. McConnell, Victoria Sporting Goods, Broad Street, not later than Thursday, December 5. Clubs not complying with this rule will be automatically suspended from further competition.

## TORONTO AND VICTORIA THREE LAPS BEHIND

Victorian and California Partner Slip in New York Bike Race

NEW YORK, Dec. 3 (AP).—A two-way tie for leadership of the six-day bicycle race existed between the teams of Kilian and Vopel and Rodman and Yates as the riders passed the twenty-eighth hour at 1 a.m. today.

One lap behind was the team of Georgetti and Hurling, while two laps behind were the teams of Walthour and Crossley and Grimm and Wissel. The Canadian-American team of big Bill Peden and Norm Hill, leaders since the start, fell three laps behind during the evening sprints.

1 a.m. standing:

	M.	L.	P.
Kilian-Vopel	509	7	46
Rodman-Yates	509	7	46
Georgetti-Hurling	509	6	20
Walthour-Crossley	509	5	40
Grimm-Wissel	509	5	18
Peden-Hill	509	4	103
Audy-Broadacore	509	4	48
Schoen-Putzel	509	4	45
Dempsey-Lands	509	3	40
Testa-Echevaria	509	2	89
Letourner-Debets	509	0	50
Spencer-Winter	508	9	97
Thomas-Malmes	508	9	72

## NEW ORLEANS

PAIR GROUND, NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 2.—Results here today follow:

First Race—Six furlongs: Mares Lou (Atkinson), \$48.00; Terry Lass (Vercher), \$9.00; 40.00.

Second Race—Six furlongs: Jocke G. (Gardner), \$11.80; Silver Hackle (Ryder), \$2.20.

Time, 1:16. Also ran: Miss Gown, Devil (Ryder), \$14.00; Imperial Play, Deer Leap, Conestoga, Levi Cooke, Preferred, Miss Envy, Meloy, Persuader, Royal Purchase, Zip Alone.

Fourth Race—Six furlongs: Ruby (Chonacki), \$7.00; Julia Grant (Turner), \$3.20; Sarashmond (Carahan), \$3.00.

Time, 1:13. Also ran: Tartan, Eddy Lee, Lisa Belle, Bald Crest, Fifth Race—Five and seventy yards: Woodland (Kaplan), \$14.00; Lady Federal (Pike), \$4.00; Cristate (Reno), \$3.40.

Time, 1:41.2-3. Also ran: Thomerville, Gilbert Elston, Sir Alax, Sixth Race—One mile: Fabbler (Reno), \$10.20; Pelawake (Green), \$4.40; P. Pass (Moore), \$4.00.

Time, 1:41.2-3. Also ran: Justice Queen, Sherron, Miss Vince, Ocean, Handsome Hal, Wilco, Dotsy, Sir Michael, Seventh Race—One and one-sixteenth: Broadway Lights (Chonacki), \$12.00; Cabotin (Reno), \$10.20; Rex Rent (Lans), \$2.20.

Time, 1:48.3-5. Also ran: Kilmore, Indian Dancer, Lashan, Ardal Trumpet, Zone, Southland Post, Just Mrs. Suko, Portofino.

## MACAULAY POINT Golf Squad in League Victory

Winning two singles matches, having one and then breaking even in the foursomes, Macaulay P. H. Golf Club scored a 5-1-2 to 2-1-2 victory in the Victoria District Golf League Sunday, on the Esquimalt links, over a team from the Cak Bay course. Norm Wallace and Norm Felt halved their match while Harold Lineham won from W. P. Bowden, and Eric Wright took J. Bagley into camp. A. B. Crump defeating Palmer Morgan in the foursomes. Wallace and Lineham halved with Felt and Bowden, and Wright and Morgan won over Bagley and Crump.

## SCOTT'S SCRAPBOOK

By R. J. Scott

EMANUEL SWEDENBORG—1688-1772

FIRST TO PROPOSE A NEBULAR HYPOTHESIS—HIS DISCOVERIES FOUNDED THE SCIENCE OF CHRYSTALLOGRAPHY—ANTICIPATED THE DOCTRINE OF ENERGY—HE MADE FIRST SKETCH OF GLIDER TYPE AIRPLANE—CONSTRUCTED FIRST MERCURIAL AIR PUMP—REDISCOVERED FUNCTIONS OF CORPORA STRIATA AND MOTOR AREAS OF CEREBRAL LOBES—SUGGESTED PARTICLE CONSTRUCTION OF THE MAGNET—DISCOVERED THAT THE BRAIN ANIMATES SYNCHRONOUSLY WITH THE LUNGS—DISCOVERED FUNCTION OF THE DUCTLESS GLANDS—WROTE AND PUBLISHED FIRST SWEDISH ALGEBRA—FIRST WITH HYPOTHESIS OF NUMEROUS GALAXIES OF STARS—HIS RESEARCHES FOUNDED SCIENCE OF GEOLOGY IN SWEDEN—WROTE FIRST EXHAUSTIVE WORKS ON METALLURGY—DISCOVERED CIRCULATION AND USES OF THE CEREBRO-SPINAL FLUID—INVENTED THE AIRTIGHT, HOT-AIR STOVE, ONCE IN COMMON USE—GAVE A SYSTEMATIC PRESENTATION OF THE PHILOSOPHY OF LOVE—AND WAS FIRST TO FORMULATE SYSTEMATICALLY THE DOCTRINES OF INFLUX, DEGREES, FORMS, SERIES AND ORDER.

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# FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

## Stocks Drop in Late Trading at New York Mart

NEW YORK, Dec. 2 (A.P.)—After a sharp drop in the late trading today, the stock market closed with a loss of 1.25 points.

Volume was the smallest since October 18, at 1,565,380 shares. This compared with 2,190,550 shares on Friday.

Brokers said they found little in the news to account for the late decline. In many quarters, however, selling was attributed to the desire of traders to retire pending the final League decision on sanctions against Italy on December 12.

In spite of the general sag, a few groups were in demand. On Wall Street estimates of the best retail business since 1929, buying came into the store. A few falls were likewise resistant with the aid of recently reported gains in October net operating income.

Measured by the Associated Press average of sixty stocks, the market was down 5.4 of a point to 54.

Issues of fractions to 2 or more points included Chrysler at 80 3/4, Bethlehem Steel at 47 1/4, General Motors at 53 1/8, Westinghouse at 89 7/8, and U.S. Steel at 46 1/4.

American Can was down 37 1/2 to 173 3/4, while American Telephone sagged 3 3/4 to 154 1/2.

Trading in the bond market was neglected while traders digested the United States Treasury's offering of \$1,318,000,000.

Rails were the weak division. Foreign loans were mixed.

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

(All Fractions in Brackets)

Stock	High	Low	Close
Allied Chemicals	100 1/2	100 1/8	100 1/8
Alcoa	34 1/2	34 1/8	34 1/8
American Power	14 1/2	14 1/8	14 1/8
American Radiator	24 1/2	24 1/8	24 1/8
American Smelter	60 1/2	60 1/8	60 1/8
American Steel	101 1/2	101 1/8	101 1/8
American Tobacco	101 1/2	101 1/8	101 1/8
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American Manganese	101 1/2	101 1/8	101 1/8
American Cobalt	101 1/2	101 1/8	101 1/8
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## TORONTO MINES TRADE WEAKLY

Base Metals Turn Weak and High-Price Golds Are Unsettled

TORONTO, Dec. 2 (A.P.)—The Toronto Mining Market slipped a cog today as considerable selling appeared in the base metal groups. High-priced golds were unsettled.

Ventures eased a cent at 146; Sherritt-Gordon 4 at 1.07, and Sudbury Basin 5 at 2.95. Base Metals Corporation dropped 1-2, Noranda 1-8 and Falconbridge 5.

In the big golds, McIntyre was outstanding with a loss of 1-1/2 to 35. Dome eased 3-8. Bralorne, however, added 10 cents.

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American Manganese	101 1/2	101 1/8	101 1/8
American Cobalt	101 1/2	101 1/8	101 1/8
American Bismuth	101 1/2	101 1/8	101 1/8
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American Arsenic	101 1/2	101 1/8	101 1/8
American Fluorine	101 1/2	101 1/8	101 1/8
American Chlorine	101 1/2	101 1/8	101 1/8
American Bromine	101 1/2	101 1/8	101 1/8
American Iodine	101 1/2	101 1/8	101 1/8
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Wheat—5 Hard	84 1/4	84 1/8	84 1/8
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Wheat—7 Hard	84 1/4	84 1/8	84 1/8
Wheat—8 Hard	84 1/2	84 1/8	84 1/8
Wheat—9 Hard	84 1/4	84 1/8	84 1/8
Wheat—10 Hard	84 1/2	84 1/8	84 1/8
Wheat—11 Hard	84 1/4	84 1/8	84 1/8
Wheat—12 Hard	84 1/2	84 1/8	84 1/8
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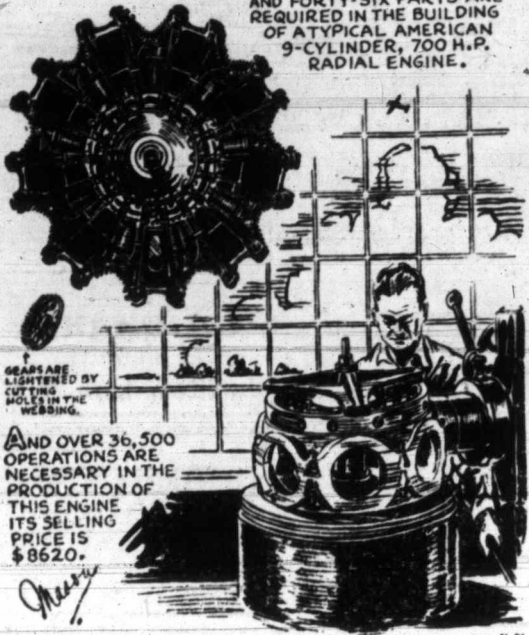


# FLIGHT...

by W. D. TIPTON  
and J. H. MASON

## BUILDING THE AERO ENGINE

TWO THOUSAND, NINE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIX PARTS ARE REQUIRED IN THE BUILDING OF A TYPICAL AMERICAN 9-CYLINDER, 700 H.P. RADIAL ENGINE.



AN AVERAGE automobile engine will cost about \$3 per horsepower. An aero engine of the latest type will cost about \$12 per horsepower. One reason for the difference is that the aero engine is built in hundreds of thousands where the auto engine is built in lots of fifty or a hundred. The other chief reason is that the builder of the aero engine is constantly fighting to save ounces in the weight of his product, so much so that nearly every part of the engine is completely machined all over. The saving of weight involves many additional machining operations which are not necessary in the auto engine. Gears, for instance, have their webs lightened by cutting holes in them. Then again, the aero engine is much more highly stressed than the auto engine. Hence the most expensive materials must be used to provide strength with the minimum of weight. Where an auto engine piston must be of cast material, the aero engine piston is forged, adding more expensive operations. Generally speaking, the auto engine weighs two and one-half times as much as the aero engine, on the basis of weight per horsepower.

## THE TUTTS... By Crawford Young



NATURE NEVER UPSETS MOM'S COMMON SENSE.



SUBURBAN HEIGHTS By GUYAS WILLIAMS



## How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

**SON OF EBONY**  
"God's image done in ebony," was Thomas Fuller's poetic tribute to the Negro.

The use of the word ebony, in connection with the colored race, is an allusion to the wood of that name. Contrary to the prevailing misconception, while this wood is usually black, it is also found in red and green. The word ebony is presumed to be Semitic in origin. Directly, however, we have it from the Greek, through the Latin ebenus, black or dark.

## ALASKAN CANNERY DESTROYED BY FIRE

CORDOVA, Alaska, Dec. 2 (AP).—The Pioneer Sea Foods Cannery at Eyak, seven miles from here, was destroyed by fire Friday afternoon. A large fleet of seine boats and their gear were also lost. The backfire from a stationary engine was blamed for the fire.

## INSURANCE HEAD DIES

NEW YORK, Dec. 2 (AP).—Charles H. Warren, seventy-nine, president of the Mutual Life Insurance Company from 1906 to 1925, died yesterday. He was a former general manager of the Great Northern Railway.

## APPLE MARY



By Martha Orr

## TODDY

Hollywood, Attention!

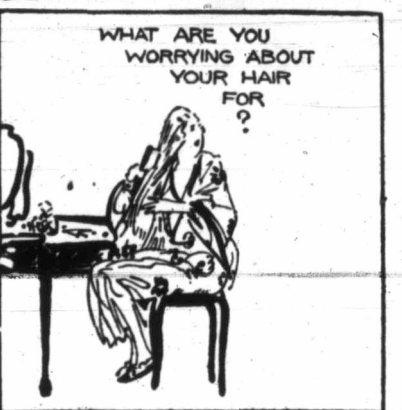
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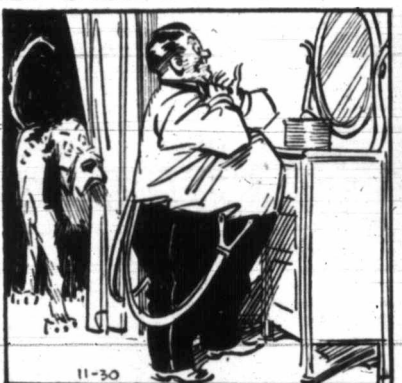
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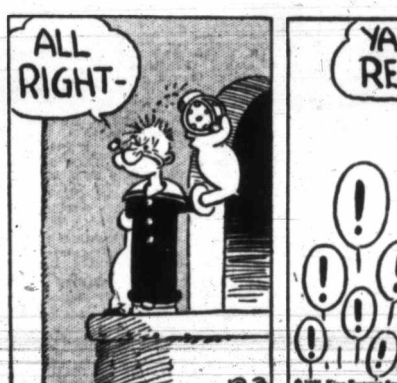
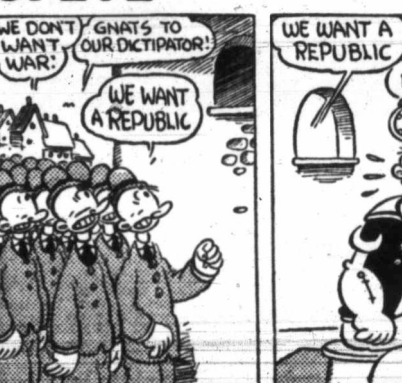
## NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY

By Clifford McBride



## POPEYE

By Segar



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A Fair Warning

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## DIXIE DUGAN

Yes, Fiddlesticks!

By J. P. McEvoy and J. H. Striebel





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# ARE ENCHANTED WITH COUNTRY

California Residents Who Visited Vancouver Island Are Boosters

Two California residents on their visit to Vancouver Island this summer were enchanted with everything they saw and went home boosting the island. In answer to a questionnaire sent them by the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, they sent a long letter, from which the following extracts were taken:

"You have given us an opportunity that we have been subconsciously wanting ever since our brief visit to your island in the summer. We have talked so much of our experience that most of our friends are bored beyond patience with us, but some of them are saving their penicils to go there themselves next year."

## WELL RECEIVED

"Victoria was carefully chosen by us as the end of the boat ride. We took our car along for the return journey and expected to drive directly to Vancouver and home. We were so enchanted with everything from the minute we went ashore that we spent every hour we had to spare on the island and came home with a firm resolve to go back there to live some day."

"Selfishly, we hope that too many persons will not discover what a Garden of Eden it is and that you will not improve it too much. Perhaps you would like to know what impressed us most. First: the unbelievable beauty and natural prodigality of water and land. We ate a picnic lunch among ferns, flowers and trees that first day and had our choice of several wild fruits for dessert. Found that the Gulf of Georgia is teeming with all sorts of sea food, there for the taking. Second: the hospitable friendliness of all the people we saw."

"It would not be possible to be more definite without giving you a case history of everyone we came into contact with. Though one typical case in point was the couple (on relief) who discovered that we were stranded after closing hour near Ladysmith with no groceries. They not only let us have the fish they had caught that day, but took us into their kitchen while they cleaned them and instructed us about their cooking, let us have the bacon that was intended for their own breakfast and invited us cordially to go fishing with them so that they might 'show us the ropes.'"

## MORE TOYS NEEDED FOR SCOUTS' SHOP

Boy Scouts' Association of Victoria Christmas toy repair shop on Yates Street, between Broad and Government Streets, has reconditioned 530 games and 210 books ready for distribution for needy children.

Members of the association wish to tender hearty thanks to those who have answered their appeals for toys, books, dolls and games. They are still in need of doll heads and all playthings for children.

Volunteers are needed to dress dolls. They may leave their names at G 4332, E 1475 or G 3391.

## What Today Means

### "SAGITTARIUS"

If December 3 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9:15 to 11:15 a.m., from 2:15 to 4:15 p.m. and from 7:15 to 9:15 p.m. The danger periods are from 7:15 to 9:15 a.m., from 4:15 to 6:15 p.m. and from 9:15 to 11:15 p.m.

If you bear in mind that: "Selfishness is the greatest curse of the human race," you may avoid having some bitter regrets this day. Self-interest will most likely be the basic cause of most of this day's troubles, so in seeking to advance your interests, be careful you do not do so at the expense of some other person's. In business, keen competition might make it advisable to sharpen pencils when figuring prices. Unfortunately, price, instead of quality, may be the main consideration of purchasers in this day's market. Buyers may show an utter lack of consideration for the seller's time, but it will pay the latter to exercise the virtue of patience, and it may bring its own reward. Should you have some social aspiration this week, and if you are diplomatic in trying to further it, success may compensate for any efforts exerted. Married and engaged couples, and those who are in love, will accomplish whatever they desire to do, if fortitude is the inherent power back of their endeavor.

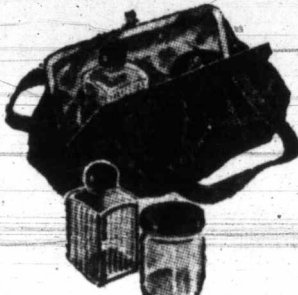
If a woman and December 3 is your birthday, you are probably very thorough in whatever you undertake. Curiosity acts as a spur many times, in getting you interested in some subject requiring much research work. You are able to apply your knowledge in a practical way, and capable of imparting it to others, no matter how dull they might be. As a lecturer, teacher, missionary, a personal director or saleslady, you may be able to achieve an enviable reputation. Perhaps few have a higher regard for matrimonial obligations than you, so you ought to make a wonderful wife.

The child born on December 3 generally, when it reaches its teens, undergoes a radical change of character, the change being decidedly for the better.

If a man and December 3 is your natal day, you perhaps are inclined to be serious and studious. All that you need do is to make up your mind to do something over and you usually succeed in doing it. Politics, authorship, painting, music or some commercial activity will most likely furnish the proper field in which your endeavor will sow the seeds of prosperity.

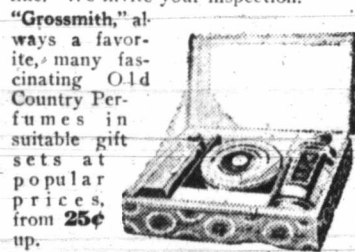
# Gifts for Mailing

## Perfumery and Toiletries



Suggested Gift Items at Popular Prices for Mailing

Souvenir Soaps, 3 cakes in box, each with local views, nursery pictures, dogs, etc.; these remain right through whilst using; a special gift novelty. Box.....35¢  
Bath Cubes, various perfumes, 3 in box.....25¢; 6 in box.....50¢  
Bohemian Cut Crystal Perfume Bottles and Atomizers, a selection of extremely low-priced lines.....\$1.25, \$1.00, 75¢, 50¢ and.....35¢  
Facial Tissues and Puffs, in decorated cellophane packets, 65¢, 35¢, 30¢ and.....20¢  
"April Showers" Gift Sets, with Face Powder, Toilet Water, Perfume, etc., \$1.25, \$1.15.....\$1.00  
Sachet Envelopes, Phil Nana, lavender, etc., for mailing with gift handkerchiefs, etc. Each, 25¢, 15¢ and 10¢  
Compacts, a fine selection by well-known firm, \$2.20 value.....\$1.50  
"Yardley," the best stock and display to choose from of this celebrated gift line. We invite your inspection.



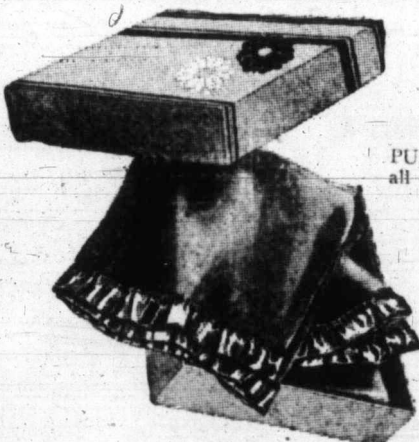
## Dressing Cases for Women

Useful Gifts—Send One to a Friend

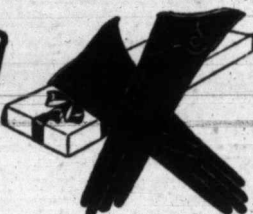
LADIES' WARDROBE DRESS CASES, with a wood frame, hanger in lid folds dresses and keeps them free from creases; covered with fabrikoid or leather. Black or brown. Prices range from \$6.50 to.....\$19.50  
LADIES' FITTED DRESS CASES, with a variety of fittings, various colors, light weight, fabrikoid or leather covering. Black or brown. 18 to 20-inch. Priced at \$11.50 to.....\$36.50  
LADIES' WEEK-END CASES, with round corners. Lined with various colors. Spurred pocket. Black or brown. 16 and 18 inches. Priced from \$3.75 to.....\$5.50

## Bags and Cases for Men

CLUB BAGS of genuine cowhide; black or brown, with English steel frames, lined with imitation leather, and with large pocket, 18 to 20-inch, priced according to size at.....\$12.50 and.....\$14.50  
CLUB BAGS of genuine cowhide, smooth grain, leather lined, superior finish, reinforced corners, English steel frame. Black or brown. 18 and 20-inch, priced according to size at \$14.75 and.....\$15.95



# Boxes put up Neatly for Sending Away



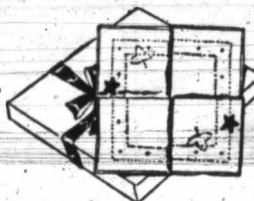
## Women's Smart Gloves

An Ideal Gift and Easily Mailed

"PIG TEX" GLOVES, smart and attractive, yet hard wearing. An imitation pigskin that is soft and pliable; in black, brown, grey, navy and natural. Slip-on style. Pique-sewn seams, pair.....\$1.98  
Hand-sewn seams, pair.....\$2.50  
GLACE KID GLOVES, in a large and varied assortment of tailored and fancy cuff styles. Fine quality. Gloves, pull-on or with dome fastening and flare cuff. Black, brown, navy and grey. A pair.....\$1.98  
—Main Floor

## Gift Handkerchiefs

See Our Extensive Display—Prices to Suit All Purposes!



Gift Handkerchiefs in dainty boxes. These are made from pure linen or super fine "opal" lawn. A large choice of Irish embroidered designs. Per box:

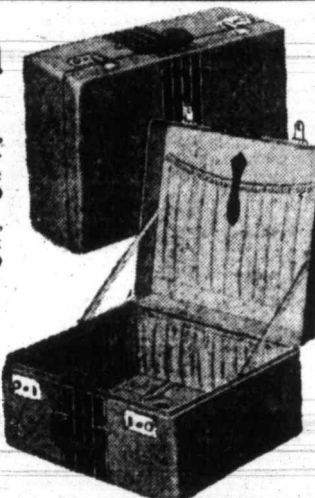
25c | 39c | 50c | 75c | \$1.00

Some with six in box—others with three in box. —Main Floor

## Gifts for the Home

Boxed Ready for Mailing!

INDIA PRINTED BEDSPREADS AND COUCH TROWS, in a splendid range of designs and colors. Size 2 x 3 yards, each.....\$2.75  
Size 2 1/2 x 3 yards, each.....\$3.50  
VELVET TABLE RUNNERS AND RADIO MATS, in artistic designs and colorings. Size 8 x 18 inches, each.....60¢  
Size 13 x 25 inches, each.....95¢  
Size 13 x 31 inches, each.....\$1.00  
Size 13 x 40 inches, each.....\$1.25  
Size 13 x 46 inches, each.....\$1.75  
CHENILLE COUCH TROWS, in mottled effects with fringed ends. Make handsome portieres, also. Size 60 x 108 inches, each.....\$6.50  
HEAVY MONKS' CLOTH COUCH TROWS, in checked designs. Bright colorings on natural ground, with fringed ends. Size 60 x 108 inches. Each, \$6.95  
BEAUTIFUL TAPESTRY PANELS, direct from Paris. A huge selection, from the small 6-inch squares to large wall panels, 80 x 54 inches. Prices range from 25¢ to.....\$120.00  
—Draperies, 2nd Floor



## Gift Suggestions From the STAPLES DEPT.

All in Fancy Boxes

PURE WOOL BED TROWS, with satin-bound ends. In all popular colorings. Each.....\$3.95  
PURE WOOL BLANKETS, in two-toned reversible effects; bound with matching satin. Each.....\$5.95  
RAYON SILK BEDSPREADS, in brocade effects, with scalloped edges. Size 80 x 100 inches. Each.....\$2.98  
Also at \$3.98, \$4.50 and.....\$5.95  
BED SETS, consisting of 1 pair Hemstitched Sheets, in double bed size; also 1 pair Hemstitched Pillow Cases. Set, \$3.25  
Also at \$3.50, \$4.50 and.....\$4.95  
FANCY TOWEL AND WASH CLOTH SETS, cellophane wrapped or in fancy boxes. Per set.....50¢  
Also at 69¢, 79¢, 98¢, \$1.25, \$2.50  
HAND-EMBROIDERED MADEIRA CLOTHS, in a nice range of designs. Prices from \$1.49 to.....\$3.50  
Napkins to match, 1/2 dozen, \$1.00, \$1.25 and.....\$1.75

OYSTER LINEN LUNCHEON OR BRIDGE SETS, with colored embroidery. 36 x 36-inch Cloth and 4 Napkins. Per set.....\$1.00, \$1.39 and \$1.59  
OYSTER LINEN LUNCHEON SETS, with colored borders. Cloth 52 x 52 inches and 4 Napkins. Per set.....\$1.50, \$2.15 and.....\$2.39  
LUNCHEON SETS, in the new plaid designs, with fringed edges. 52 x 52-inch Cloth and 6 Napkins. Per set.....\$3.10  
ECRU LACE CLOTHS AND BEDSPREADS, at \$1.69, \$2.98, \$4.98, \$6.50 and.....\$7.95  
—Staples, Main Floor

DAVID SPENCER LIMITED

ALWAYS AN ACCEPTABLE GIFT

## A DRESS LENGTH OF SILK OR VELVET

We Offer a Few Gift Suggestions From Our Silk Department

TAFFETA AND MOIRE SILKS, in this season's shades. Popular fabrics for evening wear, and finest qualities. 38-inch. A dress length of 4 yards for.....\$5.00

CREPE BACK SATIN, a soft draping silk. Shown in a large range of colors. Ideal for smart evening dresses. 38 inches wide. A dress length of 4 yards for.....\$4.75

SILK FLAT CREPES, a pure silk in a generous range of colors. 38 inches wide. A dress length of 4 yards for.....\$3.90

BLACK SATIN CREPES AND CREPE BACK SATINS. Pure silk, in rich, fast colors—will give lasting service. 38 inches wide. A dress length of 4 yards for.....\$6.75



CREPE SUPREME, a rich looking soft draping silk and in a full range of beautiful colors. For evening wear—darker tones for afternoon and street wear. 38-inch. A dress length of 4 yards for.....\$3.15

TRANSPARENT VELVET, in a wide range of colors—including black, white, cream and other shades. A fine soft draping silk, with a bright permanent finish. 36-inch. A dress length of 4 yards for.....\$7.90  
—Silks, Main Floor

## Men's Wide-End Silk Ties

A Great Assortment at 50c to \$1.50

Our variety of Silk Ties is bigger and more attractive than ever. High-grade quality. Colors and designs to suit all. —Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

## Men's Reefer Scarfs

At 98c to \$2.25

All-Wool Scarfs in fancy checks and Scotch plaids. Great variety. —Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

## Men's Hand-Painted Sets

Tie and Handkerchief to Match. New Designs. A Set.....\$1.75

These of fine silk and beautifully hand-painted in soft attractive colors. A set makes a distinctive gift. —Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

## Men's Boxed Gift Sets

Braces and Garter Sets, in assorted colors. Leather or silk ends. A set, \$1.00 to \$2.50  
Garter and Arm Band Sets, assorted colors.....75¢ to \$1.50  
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor



## Men's Leather Belts

These are in black, tan and grey. Complete with initial buckle. \$1.00 to \$2.50  
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

## MEN'S GLOVES

BOXED FOR SENDING AWAY

Perrin's Peccary Gloves, with dome fasteners, unlined. All sizes.....\$2.75  
Perrin's Washable Deerskin Gloves, unlined. Natural and Arab shades. Dome fasteners. All sizes.....\$2.25

Perrin's Capeskin Gloves, with dome fasteners, lined. Tan, beaver and black. All sizes.....\$1.50  
Perrin's Gloves of selected skins, and knitted wool lining. Slip-on or dome fasteners. Tan or beaver. All sizes.....\$1.95  
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

## DRESSING GOWNS AND SMOKING JACKETS

Appropriate Gifts for Men—That May Be Boxed Neatly for Sending Away

Over 200 to select from in our new season's stock. English Wool Dressing Gowns, high-grade garments with plaid collars and cuffs. Plain shades. Priced \$9.50 to \$15.50  
Attractively finished, and with silk girdle. Exceptional values at \$2.95 each.....\$6.95  
Heavy Satin Gowns, in plain shades, rich in appearance. All shades. At, each.....\$10.00

ALSO A GREAT CHOICE OF SMOKING JACKETS  
Jackets of plain or brushed wool, with reversible collars and cuffs. Plaids, plain and pleasing mixtures. Choice of blue, grey and maroon. Each with silk corded edges. Priced at.....\$5.95 to \$10.00  
—Men's Clothing, Main Floor



## Tooled Leather BOOK COVERS



Containing good notepaper and envelopes to match. A gift of lasting loveliness. Very easily mailed! Splendid gift value at.....\$1.00  
—Gift Section, Lower Main Floor

## Calendars

Ideal for Mailing

Views of Victoria, with Calendar, at.....25¢  
Also styles at.....50¢ and 75¢  
Calendars with pictures of flowers, horses, dogs, etc., ranging in price from.....25¢ to \$1.00  
With Envelope for mailing.  
Calendars with beautifully-colored pictures of Indians in full dress; mounted in folder style that can be used as easel. Ready for mailing, in envelope. Each.....75¢  
—Stationery, Lower Main Floor

## Mail Them Your Picture for Christmas

We Do Them While You Wait, 4 for 15¢  
Christmas Cards for mounting, now in stock. Be sure and come in early this year! We are located adjacent to the Hardware Dept., Bargain Highway.

## Genuine "Ravenwing" Indian Moccasin Slippers

Distinctively Canadian Slippers—Boxed Ready for Mailing

WOMEN'S ELK LEATHER MOCCASINS with deep fur trimming and pretty bead work. In black, brown or blue. A pair.....\$2.45  
WOMEN'S BROWN ELK MOCCASINS, fur trimmed and beaded. A pair.....\$1.95  
WOMEN'S "REVERSE-CALF" MOCCASINS, fur-trimmed, colorfully beaded and fitted with heels. In brown, rose and blue. A pair.....\$1.45  
—1st Floor and Bargain Highway Shoe Dept.